

# MOST HOLY REDEEMER *Parish*



**THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
NOVEMBER 14, 2021**

## CURRENT WORSHIP HOURS

**Monday - Friday Daily Mass: 8:00am**

**Saturday Vigil Mass: 5:00pm**

**Sunday Masses: 8:00am, 10:00am & 6:30pm**

**Holy Days: 8:00am and 7:00pm**

**New Years and Thanksgiving Day: 10:00am**

## RECONCILIATION

**Saturday: 3:45pm to 4:30pm**

## BAPTISM & MARRIAGES

Please contact the Parish Office.

For marriages please call the parish office six months in advance.

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Daily Mass: M - F 8am  
Saturday Vigil Mass: 5pm  
Sunday Masses: 8am, 10am & 6:30pm  
Holy Days: 8am & 7pm  
Thanksgiving & New Year's Day: 10am  
Reconciliation: Saturdays 3:45pm - 4:30pm



Daily Mass

**Monday - Friday 8:00am**

Wednesday, November 17

**RCIA via Zoom: 3pm**

**Wednesday Supper: 4pm - 5:30pm**  
lunch distribution at the church gates.

Saturday, November 20

**Vigil Mass: 5pm**

Sunday, November 21

**Masses: 8am, 10am & 6:30pm**

**FACE COVERINGS MUST BE WORN AT MASS.**

**Livestream the 10am Sunday Mass**  
on our MHR Facebook page:  
[www.facebook.com/mhrsf](http://www.facebook.com/mhrsf)

**NOVEMBER 15 - 21**

**Monday: 1Mc. 1:10-15m 41-43, 54-59, 60-63,  
Lk. 18: 35-43**

**Tuesday: 2Mc. 6:18-31, Lk. 19:1-10**

**Wednesday: 2Mc. 7:1, 20-31, Lk. 19:11-28**

**Thursday: 1Mc. 2:15-19, Lk. 19:41-44**

**Friday: 1Mc. 4:36-37, 51-59, Lk. 19:45-48**

**Saturday: 1Mc. 6:1-13, Lk. 20:27-40**

**Sunday: Dn. 7:13-14, Rv. 1:5-8, Jn. 18:33b-37**



## Fr. Matt's Message - Week of November 14, 2021

Throughout this month of November we keep our beloved dead close in our thoughts and in our prayers. One of the ways we have been doing this is by creating a beautiful Altar of Remembrance, placing photos and mementos of our loved ones in our sacred space. These gentle reminders that each of us will one day face death influence how we live and celebrate the gift of life.

In this season of gratitude, one of those influences is our mindfulness and gratitude for the blessings of each day. It is good to start each day with thoughts and words of prayer giving thanks for the gifts of life and of love, asking God to open our eyes and hearts to the blessings of the day.

In the Rule for monastic living that St. Benedict wrote for his monks, he reminds them and us **"to keep death before your eyes daily."** This not meant to be morbid or scary, but to help us remain grateful for the precious gift of life. We only have a limited amount of time on this earth and so we can't do everything or be everywhere we wish we could be. That thought can actually be a source of liberation – maybe it's time to let go of some of those activities or things that are not life-giving.

In this season of gratitude, we are called to remember that bit of wisdom - by simply knowing that we can't do everything or be everywhere can motivate us on our pilgrim journey to do all we do, tasks and activities big and small, to do everything with a spirit of love; a spirit of joy; a spirit of thanksgiving.

Thank you for participating in our upcoming annual **Thanksgiving Food Drive** beginning this week, this year benefitting our friends and neighbors at our Wednesday Night Suppers. We will have a **shopping list** for you next weekend, but if you would like to get a head start, we are requesting pretty specific items for the bagged lunches we pass out each week: creamy peanut butter, grape jelly, individually wrapped granola bars, individual wrapped cookies, individual bags of chips, juice boxes, bottled water, Individually wrapped candy. Thanks too for participating in our Warm Clothing Drive. Thank you for the many ways you are making a difference!

In gratitude and love,  
*Fr. Matt*



### Blessing and Commissioning of all Liturgical Ministers

Next Sunday, November 21, 2021

### The Celebration of the Feast of Chris the King

On Sunday, 11/21, at all of the Masses, we will bless, commission, and give thanks for all of our liturgical ministers - Hospitality/Ushers/Greeters, Coffee Hour Hospitality, Acolytes, Lectors, Choir, Cantors, and Music Ministers, and Eucharistic Ministers.

The celebration of Christ the King brings the Liturgical Year to a triumphant end. As we enter into the new year next Sunday, with the first Sunday of Advent, we will also bless and commission the new members of our **Parish Pastoral Council**.



*Our Mass celebrants will remember the following intentions during the celebration of the Eucharist:*

**Saturday, November 13**

**5pm Frederic Ravelas Vilorio †**

**Sunday, November 14**

**8am Rich Wanner †**

**10am MHR Parishioners**

**6:30pm Palmidia Gonzales †, David Luna †  
and Gerad Thiel †**

**Monday, November 15**

**8am Helen Weber †**

**Tuesday, November 16**

**8am Rich Wanner †**

**Wednesday, November 17**

**8am Giuseppe & Angelina Fazio †**

**Thursday, November 18**

**8am Mark Andrews †**

**Friday, November 19**

**8am Sr. Nadine Hargadon †  
Patricia Hargadon †**

Mass Intentions are celebrated for those to remember a loved one, honor someone on an important date or celebrate a special occasion. To schedule a Mass Intention or sponsor the weekend altar flowers, please call the parish office at 415-863-6259 or email [secretary@mhr.org](mailto:secretary@mhr.org).



**Jerry Anderson, Rudy Baclig, Bob Barcewski, Joyce Bednarek, Henry Berin, Florinda Brewster, Jim Cathcart, Judy Chang, Bishop John Cummins, Joshua Daigle, Barbara Elliot, Vergilio De Leon, Wallace Greene, Florence Kaloquin, Larry Goombah Kelleher, Joanna Kennedy, Karen Kenny, Christine Kosche, Michael Leonard, Jim Lonergan, Rita Ludeman, Warren Lubich, Bernie Maddox, Hugh Mallaney, Anna McKenzie, Jack McDermott, Marge Meyer, Armindo Oliveira, Thomasa Maria Pailonny, Michael Pichura, Marcello Pucci, Gloria Regan, Gregory Dake Schultz, Annie & Nok Sojka, Richelle Slota, Mary Stevens, Jim Teddar, Randy Tichenal, Paul Tipp, Christine Lane Tracy, Mark Vogel, Craig Wilson, Robert Yi, Ryan Zuniga, †Oscar Ernesto Ayala†, †Jim Dougherty†, †Shane Emerson† and †Jeanne Etchenique†.**



# COMMUNITY LIFE

Centering Prayer is meeting via Zoom on Monday evenings @ 7:00pm.  
Email [centering@mhr.org](mailto:centering@mhr.org) for login details.

Young Adults Meeting: Tuesday, November 16th,  
7:30pm in the Church. Email [yag@mhr.org](mailto:yag@mhr.org) for info.

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next to the Ellard Hall women's restroom.



## OUR PARISH COMMUNITY BIRTHDAYS

Joe Cooper, Tin Laime, Eric Earsom, Paolo Villacarlos, Tracy Ferra, Brian McDermott  
Gary Pang, Robert Vergara, Alonso Reyes, Karl Banta, David Eberhardt, Sarah Bogachik,  
Mike Poma, Martin Bednarek, Sean Wakely and Theodore Simon-O'Neill.

### Collection - Week of November 4, 2021

5pm -	\$420.00
8am -	\$324.00
10am -	\$1,588.00
6:30pm -	\$254.00
Misc. -	\$235.00
<u>Online giving -</u>	<u>\$1,443.00</u>
Total -	\$4,064.00
Budgeted -	\$4500.00
St Patrick's -	\$1,177.28



This weekend there is a second  
collection Christmas Flowers.

Next weekend there will be a second  
collection for the **Catholic Campaign for  
Human Development.**

Thank you in advance for your  
continued generosity!



**In case you were wondering ...**  
**Altar de los Muertos**

Many Hispanic/ Latino families and communities observe All Souls' Day by erecting an Altar de los Muertos—or an Altar of the Dead. It commemorates the faithful departed through a variety of symbols. Inside a home or a church, a table or altar is set aside where photographs for the deceased are arranged together with items that remind the living of the ones they have lost. Altar decorations may include mementos of the work, activities, and favorite foods that the dead. There may also be images of the saints who served as inspirations, as well as symbols of life and death, ranging from flowers to skeletons. Incense may be lighted at the altar to add a delightful scent to the presentation, in hopes that it will please the spirits of the dead. Some altars have simple decorations; others become a work of art. The custom celebrates the belief that death is a part of life. Death is embraced, not removed from one's vision. Some of the images on an Altar de los Muertos may be comical—they show one's ability to accept death, to laugh in spite of it, and to look beyond it in hope. Placing these articles on a piece of furniture called an altar both honors and prays for the dead. An altar is a place for offering sacrifice. Placing images of the dead on an altar is a way of entrusting their memory to God. And setting the altar in a place of respect gives honor to the dead. Although All Souls' Day is observed on November 2, the altar may be erected a little in advance and remain in place for some time afterward.



# Holiday



**Arts & Crafts Show and Sale**  
**Sunday, December 5th - 11am to 5pm**  
**in Ellard Hall**

Come join MHR artists and crafters in preparing for an in-person celebration of the holidays in Ellard Hall on Sunday, December 5th. It has been awhile (too long!), that we have gathered together to enjoy each other's company, show off artwork and crafts made by parishioners and friends and raise money for causes close to our hearts.

**This year we will be raising money for two worthy causes:  
Children's Medi-fund (medical supplies for children living in Thailand)  
and the MHR Music Ministry.**

If you would like to participate in selling what you have created,  
please contact Marilee Hearn by email, text or phone:

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