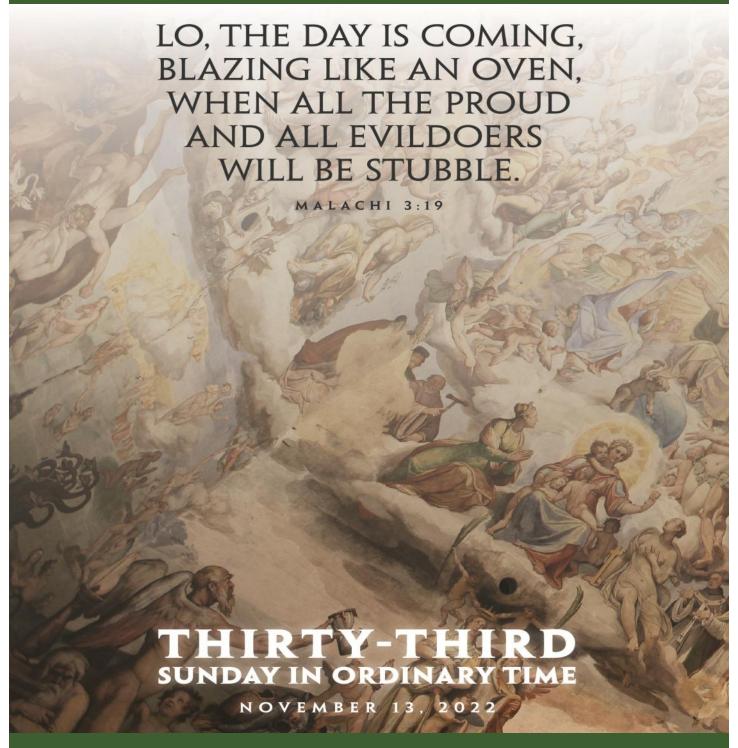
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Sunday
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8:30 a.m.

Indoor Mass 10:30 a.m.

Indoor Mass 12:30 p.m.

Daily Mass (M-W) 8:00 a.m. Indoor

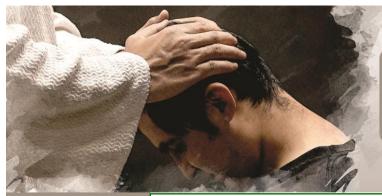
Reconciliation

Saturdays 3:45-4:30 p.m. Inside Church



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Thirty-Third Sunday IN ORDINARY TIME

November 2022

Dear Parish Family:

Beautiful rains this week washed and re-energized our parched and dry Earth! Let's pray that fall/winter rains will continue to fall, fill our reservoirs and bring an end to this California drought!

This is the last Sunday of Ordinary Time and next Sunday the Church concludes the liturgical year with the Solemnity of Jesus Christ, the King of the Universe! Advent commences on the Sunday of Thanksgiving weekend! Once again my parish gift to you will be the new Daily Advent Meditation book, which will be distributed next weekend to every family in the parish and school.

Mark your calendars and join us for our annual Thanksgiving Mass to be held on Thanksgiving Day in the church at 9:00 AM. Please bring any bread or wine that will be shared at your Thanksgiving dinner table and we'll have a special blessing!

Thank you to the many parishioners who have shown an overwhelming interest in our Estate Planning Seminar that will be held this Monday, November 14. We have almost 100 parishioners who will be attending one of the two sessions at 1:00 PM and 7:00 PM. Thank you for safeguarding your future and the future of your family!

I'm praying for you and your families!

Have a Blessed Week, Msgr. Kevin

YOU WILL BE HATED BY ALL BECAUSE OF MY NAME, BUT NOT A HAIR ON YOUR HEAD WILL BE DESTROYED."

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TODAY'S READINGS

Malachi 3:19–20a Psalm 98:5–6, 7–8, 9 2 Thessalonians 3:7–12 Luke 21:5–19 St. Joseph Catholic School is now accepting applications for Alpha K, Kindergarten, and Grades 1-8 for the 2023-2024 school year.

Our Early Acceptance Period is now open and parents can apply now online to schedule a tour and readiness assessment. Go to our website (www.sjknights.net) to apply and learn more today! You can also follow us on Instagram @sjknightslongbeach for more information on our school.

St. Joseph Catholic School is hiring!

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Safeguard the Children

Did You Know?



Fly safely this holiday season

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Celebrations of Life at St. Joseph's

Remembering Annemarie Forster Fri, Nov. 18 at 10am



YOU ARE NOT ALONE ...

Have you experienced the death of a loved one, and are wondering how you will survive the upcoming holidays? The Bereavement Ministry will be conducting a *Surviving the Holidays seminar* on Monday, December 5 at 7 p.m. and on Thursday, December 8 at 9 a.m.

In order to help us provide the best accommodations, please RSVP with your contact information as follows:

Monday, December 5 at 7 p.m.: Deacon Tom/Pat Halliwell : Tom.halliwell@la-archdiocese.org

Thursday, December 8 at 9 a.m.: Maypace@gmail.com

Both sessions are the same. We will contact you where it will be held.

We will also be conducting a thirteen weekly session for grief support in February.

ATTEND OUR ESTATE PLANNING SEMINAR



safeguarding your future, a topic that is very important to all of us.

We all have Just a reminder about manage and plan for

today and for the future. The Church is here to support and assist you in this process and I assure you that with proper planning, and a bit of time and effort, you will save yourself and your loved one's significant stress.

This month, St. Joseph' will be hosting, an Estate Planning Seminar which will be held on Monday, November 14 at 1:00 PM and 7:00 PM. The same seminar will be presented twice, so you only need to attend one workshop. Our guest presenters will be members from the Planned Giving Office at the Archdiocese of Los Angeles, an estate planning attorney and a financial advisor. A speaker will also be here from CCFLA, Catholic Community Foundation of Los Angeles. Topics covered will include: How to prepare for Wills, Trusts, Power of Attorney, considerations for charitable planning. Catholic teaching on healthcare decisions, legal steps required to safeguard your property, homes and businesses. Guardianship of minors and special needs children. You will learn about probate procedures, court costs and how to avoid those costs.

Individuals and couples who attend will receive free materials for planning a Will. If you want to learn how to create a Will and the costs involved please attend. If you need to update your existing plan, please make an effort to join us for this important seminar.

This is a free seminar. You must reserve a seat so we have printed materials for you and plenty of refreshments! RSVP stjosephlb.org or call the parish office at 562-594-4657.

Movement for a Better World

"Good works are links that form a chain of love." St. Mother Teresa

Nov. 19 - Thanksgiving Food and Blanket Distribution: DRIVERS NEEDED.

As a parish community, we will support 70 families for Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter. Can you help us deliver? So meaningful to kids! Please contact Tom and Marie Newton (562) 209-1298 or tin8343@gmail.com.

Dec. 3 to 11 - Christmas Present Drive: Envelopes will be available at Masses Dec. 3-4 for children of families we will be supporting for Christmas. Envelopes will contain instructions, child's name, age, sex, and sizes. Please purchase a gift and return to the parish office or Mass by Dec. 11 at 12:30p.

Holiday Distribution Food Buyer:

Can you help us coordinate food purchases for Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter? For many fulfilling ways to serve, please call Tim Clark (562) 431-4385.

Project Achieve Guest Chefs

Project Achieve is a transitional housing facility administered by Catholic Charities of Long Beach.

Two groups of St. Joseph "Guest Chefs" currently provide a dinner service to its residents every 3rd Monday night of the month at 6:00 pm.

Since Covid, Project Achieve is currently housing about 15-20 residents. One of our two alternating volunteer groups will be in need of a leader as of January.

If you would like to learn more about this very meaningful and fulfilling ministry opportunity, please call Tim Clark - (562) 431-4385

Family Altar Server Sign-Up



We are looking for FAMILIES that would like to be Altar Servers at all Masses! Catholic Liturgy is meant to be the Work of the People. Families who attend Mass together are encouraged to serve together in this ministry of service. All families that attend St. Joseph are invited to apply. Families who apply will receive appropriate training in the ministry and will meet with Monsignor Kevin prior to serving. Then they will be added to an Altar Server schedule. We hope that

you will join in this special ministry! To sign up go to https://forms.gle/NdJ4F38Aj4F\$rT2Q7

For more information, please contact the ALTAR SERVER COORDINATOR: Monica Wissuchek



The St. Joseph Knights of Columbus would like to thank all the people who donated to the Blood Drive on Oct. 30th. We had 39 blood donors who saved 117 lives!

THANKYOU

Our next Blood Drive will be on Saturday, February 4, 2023, in the Parish Hall.

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Don't worry about me;
I have been given God's grace,
and I am going to remain
faithful to Christ and
to the Church.

Bl. Eugene Bossilkov

20th-century Passionist priest. After he became a bishop, he was martyred by the Communists in Bulgaria.

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November 13



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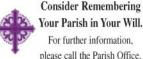
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