

# Holy Cross Catholic Church

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## 32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Amen, I say to you, this poor widow put in more than all the other contributors to the treasury." - Mk 12:43

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## 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time November 10, 2024

### Eucharistic Liturgy Schedule (Mass)

Saturdays: 4:00 p.m.  
Sundays: 7:30, 10:00 a.m.,  
12:00p.m. (Spanish)

### Weekdays:

Monday – Friday: 8:00 a.m.  
Thursday- 7:00 pm (Spanish)

### Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

Thursdays: 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
Other times: By appointment only

### Marriages:

Arrangements must be made six months in advance.

### Baptisms:

Required pre-baptismal classes for parents and godparents. Please call the office two months prior to anticipated baptism date.

Sponsors (Godparents) must be practicing Catholics.

### Matrimonios:

Los arreglos deben hacerse con seis meses de antelación.

### Bautismos:

Se requiere clases pre-bautismales para padres y padrinos. Por favor llame a la oficina dos meses antes de la fecha prevista para el bautismo. Los padrinos (padrinos) deben ser católicos practicantes.

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**SUNDAY'S READINGS****First Reading:**

Elijah said to her, "Do not be afraid.  
Go and do as you propose.  
But first make me a little cake and bring it to me." (1  
Kgs 17:13)

**Psalm:**

Praise the Lord, my soul! (Ps 146)  
Or: Alleluia.

**Second Reading:**

But now once for all he has appeared at the end of  
the ages  
to take away sin by his sacrifice. (Heb 9:26)

**Gospel:**

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than all the other contributors to the treasury." (Mk  
12:43)

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**Readings for the week of November 10, 2024**

Sunday: 1 Kgs 17:10-16/Ps 146:7, 8-9, 9-10  
(1b)/Heb 9:24-28/Mk 12:38-44 or  
12:41-44  
Monday: Ti 1:1-9/Ps 24:1b-2, 3-4ab, 5-6/Lk  
17:1-6  
Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14/Ps 37:3-4, 18 and 23,  
27 and 29/Lk 17:7-10  
Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7/Ps 23:1b-3a, 3bc-4, 5, 6/Lk  
17:11-19  
Thursday: Phlm 7-20/Ps 146:7, 8-9a, 9bc-10/Lk  
17:20-25  
Friday: 2 Jn 4-9/Ps 119:1, 2, 10, 11, 17, 18/  
Lk 17:26-37  
Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8/Ps 112:1-2, 3-4, 5-6/Lk 18:1-  
8  
Next Sunday: Dn 12:1-3/Ps 16:5, 8, 9-10, 11 (1)/  
Heb 10:11-14, 18/Mk 13:24-32

**Knights of Columbus Council  
9969 for the weekend of 11/9-  
11/10**

Our Annual Food Drive will be  
November 23rd and 24th, the  
weekend before Thanksgiving.  
Brother Knights are need for  
two-hour shifts at Vons and Ralphs  
to collect food donations for

Moorpark Pantry Plus. The Annual Food Drive is  
one of our most important charitable events and it's  
a great way to support your Council and Moorpark  
Pantry Plus. Watch your email for sign up  
information.

Why not join your Brother Knights for the  
November General Business Meeting on Thursday,  
November 14th at the Chapel? We will recite the  
Rosary @ 6:45PM and our Worthy Warden will  
make sure there is a delicious pre-meeting meal  
before the 7:30PM start time. There will be plenty  
of opportunities to get involved with the many  
charitable efforts your council supports. We need  
your help!

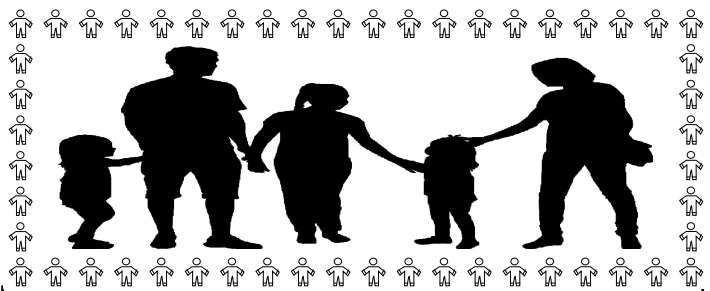
All are invited to join the Holy Cross Knights of  
Columbus Council 9969 as we recite our Scriptural  
Rosary on Wednesday, November 27th at 7:30PM at  
the Chapel. If you wish to attend the Scriptural  
Rosary via Zoom, please contact Leonard Cruz at  
(805) 889-1620 or E-mail  
leonardcruz386@yahoo.com.

Please consider joining the 9969 Foundation (a 501  
(c)3 organization) GEM program. Signing up  
through your bank's auto bill-pay service is simple  
and easy and offers a host of benefits to both you  
and the Foundation. You can choose a monthly  
amount that's comfortable, and every dollar donated  
above your annual dues amount is tax deductible and  
benefits local Moorpark charities. And since the  
9969 Foundation is a 501(c)3 organization, your  
donations may be eligible for matching funds if your  
employer offers that benefit.

**Upcoming Special Collection 11/17/2024  
Catholic Campaign for Human Development**

# Pray for ...

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Eliana Rose Lara	Orlando Delnero	Mary Ann Valerio
Heather Ledesma	Perez Family	Cedric Carlin
Christina Morelli	Boxley Family	Victor Fazio
Armando Perez	Steve Schuesler	Gail Flatt
Breanna Pflaumer	Richard Abbott	Harold Casten
Mark Scharler	Erika Miller	Trevor Perez
Ata Bohaei	Peggy Eastham	Jerry Ault
Karen Withers	Judy Buckley	Patty Perez
Pilar Ramirez	Vanda Glaspey	Kelly Turner
Ramon Godinez	Shannon	Ramona Perez
David Bowden	Noel Lisenbery	The Grant Family
Maria Hinojosa	Crystal Gomez	Brandon Castille
Shannon Ferraez	Silvia Coccozza	Maria Margolis
Patrick Withers	Joni Vasquez	
Michael Cosenza	Nina Betancourt	
Juan Luna	Bill Little	

## Did You Know? November 9-10

**Appropriate forms of physical affection**  
 Children, by nature, give and seek physical affection — hugs, pats on the arm or leg, even kisses. It is the responsibility of adults to know what is and is not appropriate when it comes to responding to this need for physical affection. One tip to consider is the acronym PAN, meaning touch that is public, appropriate, and non-sexual. This could include high fives, side hugs, back pats, and other displays of affection that reaffirm an emotional connection without crossing the child’s personal boundaries. For more information, read the VIRTUS® article “Touch (A Sensitive Subject)” on [lacatholics.org/did-you-know/](http://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/).

**Formas apropiadas de afecto físico**  
 Los niños, por naturaleza, dan y buscan afecto físico: abrazos, palmaditas en el brazo o la pierna, incluso besos. Es responsabilidad de los adultos saber qué es y qué no es apropiado cuando se trata de responder a esta necesidad de afecto físico. Un consejo a tener en cuenta es el acrónimo PAN, que significa contacto físico público, apropiado y no sexual. Esto podría incluir chocar las manos (high fives), abrazos laterales, palmaditas en la espalda y otras muestras de afecto que reafirmen una conexión emocional sin cruzar los límites personales del niño. Para obtener más información, lea el artículo en inglés de VIRTUS® “Touch (A Sensitive Subject)” (El tacto – un tema sensible) en [lacatholics.org/did-you-know/](http://lacatholics.org/did-you-know/).

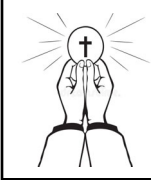


**Moorpark Pantry Plus Priority Items**  
 We will accept and appreciate all food donations  
 Small jar of peanut butter    Pasta Sauce  
 Jelly / jam    Bagged beans 16oz.  
 Canned mixed vegetables    Jell-O  
 Canned fruit    Mac n Cheese  
 Pasta

### *Eucharistic Ministers to the Home Bound*

During the month of November, ministers authorized to take Holy Communion to the sick and home bound must renew their commitment. Please complete the information below and return it to the Office by Monday, November 25, 2024.

- Minister’s Full Name:**
- Address:**
- Preferred phone #:**
- Email address:**
- Full Name of the person who is visited:**



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**GOSPEL MEDITATION**

**November 10, 2024**  
**32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Once at an evening Mass as a poor college student, the collection basket was fast approaching, and I only had a ten-dollar bill. I was planning on using that to buy my favorite Chipotle burrito that night for dinner. Should I keep the money? Who would know if I did? If I gave it away, what would I eat? Would I be okay? I kissed my future burrito goodbye, dropped the money in the basket, and winced. But strangely, the rest of the Mass I felt more engaged than usual. I had skin in the game. I left the Mass excited to see how God would take care of me. And he did, in amazing ways.

When the poor widow places two copper coins in the temple treasury, Jesus doesn't pity her. He praises her. He blesses her. He brags about her. He celebrates her as the temple's largest benefactor. Her giving is an act of radical, concrete trust in God. It is as if she is entering a new level of giving that excites Jesus, because she contributes not out of her abundance, but she gives "everything she had."

What a challenge this is to each one of us! How easy it is to ignore this! But imagine the eruption of the energy of faith, hope, and love that would be unlocked if our financial sacrifices to the Church actually tapped into daily bread and not only our disposable income. I challenge us to try this in some way this coming week and see what happens in our hearts. Even if it costs us a burrito.

— Father John Muir

That mourns in lonely  
 exile here, Until the  
 Son of God appear.

**QUESTIONS OF THE WEEK****First Reading:**

We hear how the Lord spared the widow and her son from starvation and death in the days of the prophet Elijah. How do you think society can best help those on the margins who are really struggling?

**Second Reading:**

Hebrews teaches us that Jesus's death took away the sins of many and that at his Second Coming, Jesus will bring eternal salvation to all believers. When do you imagine Jesus will return?

**Gospel:**

Jesus praises the widow who gives to the poor despite her own poverty. Do you have family or friends who likewise selflessly give to others?

**PREGUNTAS DE LA SEMANA****Primera Lectura:**

Escuchamos cómo el Señor salvó a la viuda y a su hijo de la hambruna y la muerte en los días del profeta Elías. ¿Cómo crees que la sociedad puede ayudar mejor a los marginados que realmente están luchando?

**Segunda Lectura:**

Hebreos nos enseña que la muerte de Jesús quitó los pecados de muchos y que, en su Segunda Venida, Jesús traerá la salvación eterna a todos los creyentes. ¿Cuándo te imaginas que regresará Jesús?

**Evangelio:**

Jesús halaga a la viuda que da a los pobres a pesar de su propia pobreza. ¿Tienes familiares o amigos que también dan desinteresadamente a los demás?

**Prayer of Generosity**

Oh God, whose generosity cannot be outgiven, mold my heart to mimic Yours.

Teach me what it means to be giving, knowing that whatever I have is a gift, from Your abundance.

Blessed be Your name.

Amen.

**Oración de Generosidad**

Oh Dios, cuya generosidad no puede ser superada, moldea mi corazón para imitar el tuyo.

Enséñame lo que significa ser generoso, sabiendo que todo lo que tengo es un regalo, de Tu abundancia.

Bendito sea Tu nombre.

Amén.

**MEDITACIÓN EVANGÉLICO****10 de noviembre de 2024****32º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario**

A Dios no podemos presumirle ni engañarle con falsas promesas ni mucho menos echarle fachas de lo que tenemos y somos. Él nos conoce y sabe perfectamente cuales son nuestras intenciones. Ve el fondo de nuestro corazón y sabe que tan compasivos y generosos somos. Mira, y sabe que muchas veces los pobres son mucho más generosos que los ricos. Pero, ojo, esto no quiere decir que el tener sea malo, no, esto trata de la generosidad del corazón. Puede ser que me aferre a los pocos o muchos bienes materiales y no comparta nada de lo que tengo con los necesitados.

Las viudas del Evangelio de hoy nos dan muestra de catequesis de generosidad y confianza en Dios. La primera viuda acoge al profeta y lo alimenta del poco pan que tenía para ella y su hijo. Y Dios la recompensa con lo necesario para seguir viviendo: “La harina del tiesto no se acabará y el aceite del cántaro no se terminará” (1 de Reyes 17:14). Lo importante aquí es que ella no se negó a dar de lo poco que tenía, su confianza en Dios por medio de las palabras del profeta fue su esperanza para seguir viviendo. La otra viuda, la que Jesús hace resaltar su modesta ofrenda depositada en la alcancía del templo, comparándola con la jactancia de las personas ricas. Este relato deja claro que no podemos engañar a Dios con apariencias, que él ve directamente el corazón de cada uno de nosotros. Premiando nuestra generosidad con los demás, dando abundancia en nuestra vida.

Este vive en el exilio  
privado del Hijo  
de Dios.

**LECTURAS DEL DOMINGO****Primera lectura:**

Elías le dijo: «No tengas miedo.

Ve y haz lo que te propongas.

Pero primero hazme una pequeña torta y tráemela.» (1 R 17,13)

**Salmo:**

Alaba, alma mía, al Señor. (Sal 146)

O: Aleluya.

**Segunda lectura:**

Pero ahora, al final de los siglos, se ha manifestado de una vez por todas

para quitar el pecado con su sacrificio. (Hb 9,26)

**Evangelio:**

«En verdad os digo que esta viuda pobre ha echado más

que todos los que han contribuido al tesoro.» (Mc 12,43)

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**Las lecturas de la semana del 10 de noviembre de 2024**

Domingo:	1 Re 17, 10-16/Sal 145, 7. 8-9. 9-10 (1)/Heb 9, 24-28/Mc 12, 38-44 o 12, 41-44
Lunes:	Tit 1, 1-9/Sal 23, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/Lc 17, 1-6
Martes:	Tit 2, 1-8. 11-14/Sal 36, 3-4. 18 y 23. 27 y 29/Lc 17, 7-10
Miércoles:	Tit 3, 1-7/Sal 22, 1-3. 3-4. 5. 6/Lc 17, 11-19
Jueves:	Flm 7-20/Sal 145, 7. 8-9. 9-10/Lc 17, 20-25
Viernes:	2 Jn 4-9/Sal 118, 1. 2. 10. 11. 17. 18/Lc 17, 26-37
Sábado:	3 Jn 5-8/Sal 111, 1-2. 3-4. 5-6/Lc 18, 1-8
Domingo siguiente:	Dn 12, 1-3/Sal 15, 5. 8. 9-10. 11 (1)/Heb 10, 11-14. 18/Mc 13, 24-32

**Faith Formation**

**Confirmation**

Confirmation Year 1 meets tonight from 5:30P-7P. Drop off and pick up at the church.

**All is Calm...All is Bright: An Evening of Advent Traditions**

**Sr. Carol Quinlivan**

**Monday, November 18 ~ 7:00 pm**

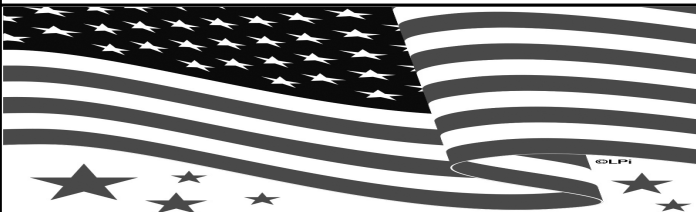
**Padre Serra Parish, Camarillo**

How do these cherished lyrics ring true in our lives today? How do we move from the sentimentality of this season to the reality we face? Remembering the truth, the truth of the first Christmas is essentially a paradox. The paradox apparent at Christ's birth mirrors our times. Let us pause for a bit of reflecting and treasuring our ancestors who managed to navigate the paradoxical journey with joy, gratitude, and resilience. **Free; RSVP appreciated <https://www.padreserra.org/aff.html>.**

**Questions: [Teresa@padreserra.org](mailto:Teresa@padreserra.org)**

**Observances for the week of November 10, 2024**

- Sunday: 32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
- Monday: St. Martin of Tours, Bishop; Veterans Day
- Tuesday: St. Josaphat, Bishop and Martyr
- Wednesday: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin
- Friday: St. Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
- Saturday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude, Virgin
- Next Sunday: 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time



**Remember Our Vets**

**Holy Cross Parishioners!**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament is offered the First Friday of every month. Adoration begins after the 8:00 am mass & continues until 6:00pm.

From 6:00pm -7:00pm , there is a Holy Hour in Spanish with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

We are currently in need of volunteers to commit to an hour of time with Our Lord. If you are available please contact: Kathy Johnston at 805-402-7856

Thank you !

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**SAINT OF THE WEEK – EXAMPLES OF OUR FAITH**

**St. Gemma Galgani**

**Short Bio**

St. Gemma Galgani (1878-1903) was an Italian layperson who lived an intense prayer life. She experienced ecstasies, was reported to levitate, and received the grace of the holy stigmata. She is called the "Daughter of the Passion" because of her deep union with Christ's Passion.

**Santa Gemma Galgani**

**Biografía Abreviada**

Santa Gemma Galgani (1878-1903) fue una laica italiana que vivió una intensa vida de oración. Experimentó éxtasis, se dijo que levitaba y recibió la gracia de los santos estigmas. Es llamada la "Hija de la Pasión" por su profunda unión con la Pasión de Cristo.



**Feligreses de la Santa Cruz!**

La Exposición de El Santísimo Sacramento es ofrecida el primer viernes de cada mes. La Adoración comienza después de la misa de las 8:00am y continúa asta las 6:00pm.

De las 6:00pm - 7:00pm, hay una Hora Santa en español con La Exposición de El Santísimo Sacramento.

Estamos necesitando voluntarios que se comprometan y enlisten para acompañar por una hora a Nuestro Señor.

Si tú estás disponible y deseas hacerlo por favor contacta a:

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We always welcome new members to our Ministries

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**Mass Intentions for the week 11/10**

**Sunday** 7:30 am All Souls  
10:00 am Kyle Mogen (RIP)  
12:00 pm Tomas Hernandez Contreras (RIP)

**Monday** 8:00 am All Souls

**Tuesday** 8:00 am All Souls

**Wednesday** 8:00 am Ryan Morris (RIP)

**Thursday** 8:00 am All Souls  
7:00 pm Manuel Shuhmelian (RIP)

**Friday** 8:00 am All Souls

**Saturday** 4:00 pm Edith & John Britting (RIP)

*Prayer Request*