

Christ Our Light Catholic Church



The Archdiocese of Galveston - Houston

MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of Christ Our Light Catholic Church is to offer spiritual growth and to strengthen faith in accord with the Roman Catholic way of life by providing a center to worship for all fellow parishioners, to encourage more opportunities for family education and family oriented fellowship, to invite everyone to a greater sensitivity to the richness of our diversity, and to encourage all members to recognize the importance of their involvement in this Christian community and in so doing to extend ourselves into the entire community.

DECLARACION DE LA MISIOM

La Misión de la Iglesia Católica Cristo Nuestra Luz es ofrecer un crecimiento espiritual y fortalecer la fe de acuerdo con la Iglesia Católica Romana proporcionando un centro de culto para todos los feligreses, para animar a un mayor número de oportunidades para la educación de una familia orientada, para invitar a todos a una mayor sensibilidad de la riqueza de nuestra diversidad, y alentar a todos los miembros a reconocer la importancia de su participación en esta comunidad cristiana, y al hacerlo para que se extienda en toda la comunidad.



PARISH OFFICE HOURS:

Monday-Thursday 9:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
1:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.
Friday 9:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m.
Other times by appointment

9677 Highway 6
Navasota, Texas

Offices and Mailing Address:

510 Manley Street • Navasota, TX 77868
Website Address: www.christourlight.org

PARISH NUMBERS:

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Religious Education: 936-825-1869

PASTORAL STAFF

Pastor Rev. Elias Lopéz
Parochial Vicar, Rev. Jorge Cabrera
Grant Holt, Permanent Deacon
Gregory Jelinek, MD., Permanent Deacon (Retired)

ADMINISTRATION & BOOKKEEPER

Mrs. Nelda Kurten

COORDINATOR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Mrs. Sasha Ramirez

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC MINISTRY

LITURGICAL MINISTERS' COORDINATOR AND SACRISTAN

Mr. Samuel Pry

PASTORAL LEADERSHIP TEAM

Michael Arden Teresa Morales
Gregorio Gonzalez Sam Pry
Nelda Kurten

FINANCE COUNCIL

Leonard Busa Theresa Clark Teresa Morales
Ann Clark Carolynn Katkoski

FAMILY LIFE

Joe and Monica Fultz
Robert and Pam Malek
Baltazar and Silvia Regalado

DISASTER RECOVERY PLAN

Deacon Grant Holt Jason Katkoski
Michael and Connie Arden Mitch Kroll
Gregorio Gonzalez

RE BOARD

Jason Katkoski, President, Vice President, Diane LeFlore, Secretary, Lucy Coronilla, Deacon Grant Holt, Teresa Morales and Brandi Tejada.

BUILDING COMMITTEE

Mike Arden, Larry Busa, Danny Clark, Gary Husfeld, Richard Krolczyk and Joe Rangel.

INFANT BAPTISM

Baptismal instruction is required for the parents and godparents of the infant to be baptized. Please contact Deacon Grant Holt at 936-825-6448, Joe Rangel at 936-672-5566

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR ADULTS

The Order of Christian Initiation is an ongoing process in which adults, youth and children enter or complete their initiation into the Roman Catholic Church.

RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

Thursday 6:00—6:55 p.m. and Saturday 5:00—5:30 p.m. in the Reconciliation chapel and by appointment.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Contact Father Eli, Father Jorge or Deacon Grant at least six months before the proposed wedding date. Couples must attend mandatory pre-marital classes.

ANointing OF THE SICK

Celebrated by request. Please call the Parish office.

SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday Vigil 6:00 p.m.
Sunday (English) 8:00 a.m.
Sunday (Español) 1:00 p.m.

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

Monday 8:30 a.m.
Tuesday 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday & Friday 8:30 a.m.
Thursday 8:30 a.m. & 7:00 p.m.

ROSARY PRAYED IN COMMON

Tuesday 6:10 p.m.
Wednesday & Friday 8:10 a.m.
Thursday 6:10 p.m.
Saturday 5:15 p.m.
Sunday 7:15 a.m. & 12:40 p.m.

STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL

Dan Busa Hipolto Olvers
Lupe Diaz Ofelia Olvera
Toribio Hernandez Celia (Rosa) Perez
Jose Murillo, Sr. Ruben Perez

BAUTISMO DE INFANTE

Las instrucciones bautismales son requeridas para los padres y padrinos del infante que va a ser bautizado. Por favor póngase en contacto con la Señora Rosa Torres (936) 419-8974

RITO DE LA INICIACIÓN CRISTIANA DE ADULTOS

R.C.I.A. es un proceso para entrar o cumplir su iniciación en nuestra fe católica. Se ruega llamar a

RECONCILIACIÓN (CONFESIONES)

Los jueves 6:00—6:30 p.m. y los sábado alas 5:00—5:30 p.m. en la capilla de reconciliación y por cita.

QUINCEAÑERA

Los jóvenes que quieren celebrar su quinceañera necesitan asistir a las clases de educación religiosa por dos años consecutivos antes de la celebración. También, necesitan asistir a las clases especiales y un día de tortero en el semestre antes de su cumpleaños. Se ruega llamar al padre Eli.

MATRIMONIO

Presentarse con el padre Eli, padre Jorge o un diácono por los menos con seis meses de anticipación de la propuesta fecha de la boda. Hay clases obligatorias pre-matrimonial.

UNCIÓN DE LOS ENFERMOS

Se ruega llamar a la oficina de la parroquia para una cita.

CONFIDENTIAL HELP LINE

A spiritual support group helping men and women live in accordance with the Catholic Church's pastoral teaching on Homosexuality. (713) 741-8728 or (713) 980-3100

Are you or do you know someone in a crisis pregnancy? Call: America's Crisis Pregnancy Helpline at 1-800-67-BABY-6. Are you or do you know someone suffering the effects of an abortion? Call: 1-800-5WE-CARE.

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NOVEMBER 25 & 26, 2017

Under the Patronage of St. Patrick and Our Lady of Guadalupe

MASS INTENSIONS

MONDAY, NOV. 27 — WEEKDAY

No Mass

TUESDAY, NOV. 28 — WEEKDAY

6:30 PM Donald Mattern †

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 29 — WEEKDAY

8:30 AM Henry Wisnoski †

THURSDAY, NOV. 30 — ST. ANDREW, APOSTLE

8:30 AM Mary Ann Kimmey †

7:00 PM* Torres and Rangel Families

FRIDAY, DEC. 01 — WEEKDAY

8:30 AM Eddie Knowles †

10:00 PM 1st Fri. Sp. Living & Deceased Legion of Mary

SATURDAY, DEC. 02 — VIGIL, 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

9:00 AM 1st Sat. Eng. Living & Deceased Legion of Mary

6:00 PM David † and Chase † Kurten

SUNDAY, DEC. 03 — 1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8:00 AM Benefactor's of Memorial Fund

1:00 PM* Graciela Zavala †

*SPANISH

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27

5:00 PM Spanish Legion of Mary, CH Cry room

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 28

6:00 PM Spanish Choir Practice, CH

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29

6:00 PM Spanish Bible Class, SPH

6:00 PM PK-5 CCE Classes

6:30 PM Confirmation I and II Class

7:00 PM RCIA, Reception Room, SPH

7:30 PM Choir Practice, CH

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 30

12:00 PM English, Legion of Mary, CH Cry room

6:00 PM Confession, CH

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 01

No Events Scheduled

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 02

5:00 PM Confession, CH

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 03

10:15 AM Religious Education Classes



READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Dn 1:1-6, 8-20; Dn 3:52-56; Lk 21:1-4

Tuesday: Dn 2:31-45; Dn 3:57-61; Lk 21:5-11

Wednesday: Dn 5:1-6, 13-14, 16-17, 23-28; Dn 3:62-67;
Lk 21:12-19

Thursday: Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8-11; Mt 4:18-22

Friday: Dn 7:2-14; Dn 3:75-81; Lk 21:29-33

Saturday: Dn 7:15-27; Dn 3:82-87; Lk 21:34-36

Sunday: Is 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7;
Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; 1 Cor 1:3-9;
Mk 13:33-37

ALTAR FLOWERS



The parish thanks Teresa Morales and family for the Altar flowers this past weekend.

E-Mail Addresses for the Parish

To e-mail Fr. Elias...fr.eli@christourlight.org
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To e-mail RE Board: reboard@christourlight.org
To e-mail Rel. Ed. asha_ramirez17@yahoo.com
To e-mail Linda: linda@deerchase.com
Christ Our Light web-site: www.christourlight.org

BULLETIN DEADLINE TUESDAY 12:00 NOON

Announcements and or articles are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office, faxed to 825-7612 or e-mailed nelda@christourlight.org

AFTER MASS WEEKLY PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deadline Tuesday, 12:00 Noon. Announcements are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office. The Pastor reserves the right to pick and choose which announcements are made in this forum as there is a need to keep these to a minimum.

Todos los anuncios deben ser presentados por escrito en la oficina de la parroquia no mas tarde que los martes al mediodía. El Pastor decidirá si las noticias son de importancia para ser pronuncia das.

PARISH REGISTRATION

To our new parishioner, we welcome you to Christ Our Light Parish. Please register at the parish office or ask one of the Hospitality Ministers to help you. For parishioners moving out of the parish or changing your address or phone number, **please** notify the parish office, 825-3920.



PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS to the Priesthood and Religious Life especially in our Archdiocese.

MEMORIALIZING THE SANCTUARY CANDLE

If you are interested in memorializing the Sanctuary candle, in memory of, in personal reverence and petition or special intention for the week, stop by the parish office for more information.

Sacrament of Baptism Schedule

English Baptism Class Schedule for 2018: 8:30 AM, January 13, April 14, July 14 and October 13

Spanish Baptism Class Schedule for 2018: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM,

January 15 & 22, April 15 & 22, July 16 & 23 and October 21 & 28.

ALL DOCUMENTS AND FORMS must be completed and turned in before Baptism Date.

SCHEDULED Baptism will be celebrated once a month every 2nd Saturday at 10:00 AM in the Church.

PRAY for THE CONTINUING RECOVERY OR COMFORT OF



the infirmed and homebound members of our community. Steve Alvarado, Deborah Allwell, Amy Baldobino, Katherine Berger, JoAnn Clepper,

Frank Conte, Minnie Crouch, Sherry Noto Coronado, Taylor Cox, Susie Dominguez, Maria Flores, Charleen Holmes, Ed Huber, Judy Huber, Marion Huber, Joe Imhoff, Eva James, John James, Liz Johnson, Esther Jones, Charlie Kapchinski, Brianna Kelley, Kim Kelly, Landon Kimich, Ronny Kurten, Crystal Lane, Leslie Lane, Manuel Lebeck, Ted Loq, Lillian Marcotte, Maria Martinez, June McDonald, Yvonne Meitzen, Valeriano Melchor, Anthony Mendez, Evita Mendez, Beth Minava, Eddie Muston, Fabian Munoz, Trealean Nickerson, Thomas Nobles, Leon Nowak, Julian Olguin, Victor Ostiguin, Howard Owens, Ralf Perez, II, Tanisha Perry, Angelina Peterson, Wallace Peterson, Rose Betty Piper, Mercedes Rios, Joel Rivera, Irma Salazar, Abby Schoessow, Josh Sechelski, Judy Seigler, Dennis Shive, Dana Sowell, Krysten Sowell, Angie McLaurin Till, Lucy Thompson, Tina Tomczak, Alene Torres, Anastacia Torres, Jesse Valadez, III, Carrie Vega, Amanda Walkoviak, Clara Walkoviak, Debra Wills and Pam Wise. **Call the parish office** when a member of our community has a need to be remembered in prayer, 825-3920. Also, if you have added a name to the prayer list, **please call to let us know when to remove the name from the list.** Thank you.

STEWARDSHIP REFLECTIONS

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe — *“...whatever you did for one of the least of my brothers, you did for me” Matthew 25-40* Most of are generous when it’s convenient for us. We are generous when we have the time or the money. But, generosity is the opposite of that. It means giving of one’s time, money, compassion, forgiveness or mercy when it’s not convenient; when it’s not on our schedule, but on the other person’s schedule.

Nuestro Señor Jesucristo, Rey del Universo — *“...todo lo que hiciste por uno de los más pequeños de mis hermanos, lo hiciste por mí” Mateo 25:40* La mayoría de nosotros somos generosos cuando nos conviene. Somos generosos cuando tenemos tiempo o dinero. Pero la generosidad es lo contrario. Significa dar tiempo, dinero, compasión perdón o misericordia cuando no es conveniente; cuando no es nuestro beneficio directo, sino el beneficio de la otra persona.

CHRIST, KING OF ALL

On this, the final Sunday of the liturgical year, we celebrate the solemnity of Christ the King. By concluding the year with this feast we are proclaiming our faith that Jesus Christ is the one and only king over all seasons, all peoples, and all of creation.

At the end of time as we know it, Christ’s work of restoring all things to unity and harmony with their Creator God will be completed. This Sunday, when we claim Christ as both our Shepherd and our King, we recognize our own calling to participate in Christ’s saving work by caring for those whom Jesus calls “the least ones” (Matthew 25:45).

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CRISTO, REY DE TODOS

En este, el último domingo del año litúrgico, celebramos la solemnidad de Cristo Rey. Al concluir el año con esta fiesta proclamamos nuestra fe en que Jesucristo es el solo y único rey sobre todos los tiempos, todos los pueblos y toda la Creación.

Al final del tiempo que conocemos, quedará completa la obra de Cristo de restaurar todas las cosas en unidad y armonía con Dios su Creador. Este domingo, cuando proclamamos que Cristo es nuestro Pastor y nuestro Rey, reconocemos nuestro llamado a participar en la obra salvadora de Cristo al cuidar de quienes Cristo llama “aquellos más insignificantes” (Mateo 25:45). Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

In Our Prayers

We remember in prayer our friends and loved ones in active military duty, both in and out of harms way, in the service of their our country. Pray for peace in the world and for our leaders.

OUR HOLY FATHER’S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR OCT.

General Intention — WORKERS AND THE UNEEMPLOYED. That all workers may receive respect and protection of their rights, and that the unemployed may receive the opportunity to contribute to the common good.



P.E.R.A. (Perpetual Eucharistic Reparative Adoration)

We are inviting and highly encouraging everyone to sign-up for our “P.E.R.A.” (Perpetual Eucharistic Reparative Adoration). We are asking everyone to devote ONE HOUR (at least) a WEEK adoring God in the Blessed Sacrament—that is, only asking 168 parishioners to make adoration of God everyday, 24/7! We do this as a Parish Community in response to the teaching of St. John Paul II:

The “Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to make amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease.”

(Dominicae cenae, 3)

Please call Mary Rangel @ 936-419-9024.



New Memorial Candles

The new Candle Stands are electrical. Anyone wanting to light a candle may do so by pressing the red button and give an offering. The candle will burn for 12 hours. Memorial Candles burning for one year are \$150.00 each. Come by the parish office to schedule and pay your offering of \$150.00 for your Memorial candle.

THE CATHOLIC FAITH ON DEMAND

Web site is FORMED.ORG

The Parish Code to access the website is **MVMZKF**

Then register to create an account.

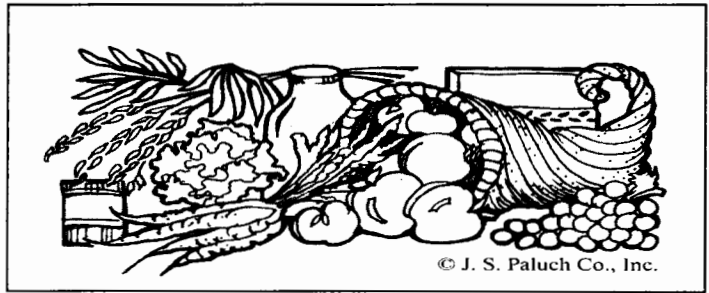
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**Our Lord Jesus Christ,
King of the Universe
November 26, 2017**

“I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink.”— Matthew 25:35



MONTHLY REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASSES

Refreshment will be served after Masses the first Sunday of each month. The refreshments and service will be provided by the following:

- Altar Society—January and July
- Pastoral Council—February and October
- Finance Council—March and September
- R.E. Board—April and August
- Stewardship—May and November
- Choir—June and December

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Every 1st weekend of the month (Saturday Vigil and Sunday Masses) blessings of all who have a birthday or Wedding Anniversary during the month.

Weekly Offering



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(85) Offertory Envelopes / Loose Checks	2,762.00
Loose Change	1,156.75
Children's	139.34
Total	4,058.09
II Coll. Campaign for Human Dev.	1,079.00
Building Fund	215.00

2017 DSF Report

Activity thru 11/20/17

Parish Goal:	24,940.00
Total Amount Paid:	20,679.78
Total Amount Pledged:	21,254.35
Total Number of Participants:	81
Paid Over (Under) Goal:	(4,260.22)
Over (Under) Goal:	(3,685.65)
Percent Paid	82.92%



The parish thanks Teresa Morales for the altar flowers this past weekend.



YOUTH MEETING SCHEDULE

Christ Our Light Youth Group Grades 8-12 will meet every 1st Wednesday of the month, 6:30 to 8:30 PM.

WHAT TO EXPECT: Guest Speakers, Food & Games, Bible Study, Praise and Worship and more. To join contact: Joe Rangel (936) 672-5566 or Jessica Herrera (936) 870-8130.

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TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — I will rescue my scattered sheep (Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17).

Psalm — The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want (Psalm 23).

Second Reading — As in Adam all die, so too in Christ all shall be brought to life (1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28).

Gospel — Whatever you did to the least ones, you did to me (Matthew 25:31-46).

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LECTURAS DE HOY

Primera lectura — El pastor-rey busca a los perdidos y sana a los heridos (Ezequiel 34:11-12, 15-17).

Salmo — El Señor es mi pastor, nada me falta (Salmo 23 [22]).

Segunda lectura — Cristo nuestro rey ha conquistado la muerte (1 Corintios 15:20-26, 28).

Evangelio — El Hijo del hombre se sentará en su glorioso trono y los separará unos de otros (Mateo 25: 31-46).

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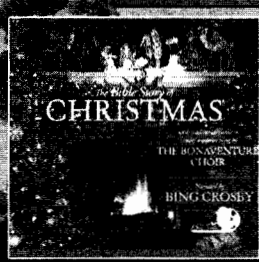
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