This Week's Message:

"Though already present in his Church, Christ's reign is nevertheless yet to be fulfilled 'with power and great glory' by the King's return to earth. This reign is still under attack by the evil powers, even though they have been defeated definitely by Christ's Passover. Until everything is subject to him, 'until there be realized new heavens and a new earth in which justice dwells, the pilgrim Church, in her sacraments and institutions, which belong to this present age, carries the mark of this world which will pass, and she herself takes her place among the creatures which groan and travail yet and await the revelation of the sons of God.' That is why Christians pray, above all in the Eucharist, to hasten Christ's return by saying to him: *Marana tha!* 'Our Lord, come!'"

(Catechism of the Catholic Church, 671)

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING, AND THE THIRTY-FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Sat. & Sun. Masses: see pages 1208 in red Worship book

The Lamb who was slain is worthy to receive strength and divinity, wisdom and power and honor: to him be glory and power for ever.

Sat. Nov.21	**6:00 PM**	**+FRED KUESTER** by the Korpe Family
Sun. Nov.22	**8:00 AM**	**+GARY BRONIKOWSKI** by Janice Bronikowski
Wed. Nov.25	**6:00 PM**	**FOR PARISHIONERS**
Thu. Nov.26	**8:00 AM**	**IN THANKSGIVING for Blessings Received** by Virginia/Alvin Malinowski
Fri. Nov.27	**8:00 AM**	**+GORDON & JEWELL JAMES** by Diane/Brennan Peterson

THE FIRST WEEK OF ADVENT

Sat. & Sun. Masses: see pages 1002 in red Worship book

To you, my God, I lift my soul, I trust in you; let me never come to shame. Do not let my enemies laugh at me. No one who waits for you is ever put to shame.

Sat. Nov.28	**6:00 PM**	**+LEONARD & ANGIE JOZWIAK** by Family
Sun. Nov.29	**8:00 AM**	**+EDWIN JANKOWIAK** by Pat/Al Faterkowski
Wed. Dec.2	**6:00 PM**	**+MARION MARSHALL** by Bernard Pawlak
Thu. Dec.3	**8:00 AM**	**DANA DYBDAL-HARGREAVES** by Diane/Brennan Peterson
Fri. Dec.4	**8:00 AM**	**FOR PARISHIONERS (First Friday)**



LONG LIVE CHRIST THE KING!
VIVA CRISTO REY!
NIECH ŻYJE CHRYSTUS KRÓL!

The flowers on the altar were donated for the greater glory of God by Mike & Diana Reed, in thanksgiving for God's many blessings.

Anyone interested in volunteering for office help, please contact the parish office.

Schedule for Altar Servers

Saturday Nov.21 Benjamin Derkowski, Audrey & Austin Smith.
Sunday Nov.22 Avery Korpe, Claire Laskowski, Adalyn Randall.

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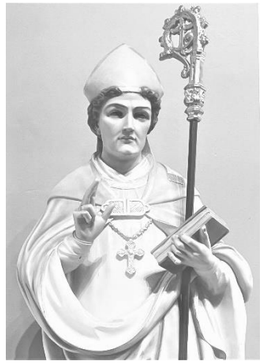
Saturday Nov.28 Brynlee Kmiec, Dylan Vance Kmiec, Omar Urquidez.
Sunday Nov.29 Anaiah, Eva, and Jayde Alanis.



- Saint Stanislaw -

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CATHOLIC CHURCH

CHAPPELL HILL,
TEXAS 77426

November 21st & 22nd 2026
The Solemnity of Christ the King



- Saint Kazimierz -

Pastor: Fr. Thaddeus Tabak, SDS

Regular Mass Schedule:

Saturday :	6:00 PM
Sunday:	8:00 AM
Wednesday:	6:00 PM
Thursday & Friday:	8:00 AM
First Saturdays:	9:00 AM

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Karen Hoffart (832-814-2418)
Office hours:
Thursdays & Fridays
8:30 am—3 pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:
Sat. 5-5:45 PM/ Sun. 7– 7: 45 AM and
30 minutes before weekday Masses

Sacrament of Marriage:
Call at least 6 months before the planned wedding.
Sacrament of Baptism:
Contact Parish Office at least 2 weeks in advance.
To Register in the Parish:
Forms are available in the narthex (near entry of the church).



Celebrating 100 years in our current church building!

Parish Boards and Councils / Chairpersons:
Pastoral Council: **Steven Smith**
Finance Committee: **Doug Elder**
Building & Maintenance: **Mark Bilski**
Religious Education: **Peggy Husky**
Cemetery Board: **Kenneth Kettler, Michael Bronikowski**
Altar Society: **Vicki Degioanni**
Altar flowers: **Diane Peterson** 210-823-0495
Hall Committee: **Janie Mikolajchak**
Organist: **Linda Zientek**
Knights of Columbus: **Kieran Tobin**
KJT: **Henry Wilganowski**



Submissions for this bulletin should be sent via email to:
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By Wednesday, end of day.

EIM COMPLIANCE INFORMATION
EIM compliance is required for persons active in most ministries in the diocese. Do you need to be compliant? New to the EIM process? Already have an EIM account? Visit austindiocese.org/eim to learn about compliance policies, how new applicants get started, and how active users maintain compliance. Contact eim@austindiocese.org for further assistance.

REPORT ABUSE
Report abuse of a minor, elderly adult, or an adult with a disability to local law enforcement or the Texas Abuse Hotline at www.txabusehotline.org or (800) 252-5400 and the diocese at www.austindiocese.org/report-abuse or (512) 949-2447.

WE THANK everyone who shared a portion of their blessings to God through your church.

Nov.14 & 15, 2026: Regular collection: $2,583.00, Christmas flowers: $300.00, Cemetery: $20.00, Campaign for Human Development: $476.00, Building Fund: $300.00.

MONEY COUNTERS (Note your day):

Monday, Nov.23: JoAnne Horton, Mark Jozwiak, Alvin Malinowski, Kimberly Randall.
Monday, Nov.30: Doug Elder, Joanie Correll, Elizabeth Korpe, Jenny Tobin.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES
Best Wishes and Congratulations to:

Sylvia/Jimmy Hines, Nov.2 – 63rd
Becky/Larry Derkowski, Nov.3 – 53rd
Morgan/Scott Cooke, Nov.3 – 14th
Judy/Randall Stockton, Nov.6 – 44th
Diana/Johnny Kubeczka, Nov.16 – 52nd
Pamela/Chad Riley, Nov.17 – 14th

Let us pray for our sick, our cherished elderly & their families: ***Kelly Allison, Dorothy Bielski, Gertrude Burleson, Dan Busa, Grazyna Czupryn, Bennie Daricek, Eloise Degioanni, Henry Derkowski Jr, Pat Derkowski, Adam Falk, Elizabeth Falk, Charlene Goree, Bebe Gurka, Joe Eddie Gurka, Josh Gurka, Jack Hoffart, Ted Hoffart Sr, David Horton Sr., Nedra Isles, Jackson Kalkhake, Ken Kettler, Kathy Kitowski, Kathy Kmiec, Annette Kopech, Johnny & Carolyn Kopycinski, Connie Koteras, Albin Krolczyk, Derrick Laskowski, Debra Mazurkiewicz, Keith Mikolajchak, Barbara Moszkowicz, Mary Pitchford, Michelle Prather, Janie Sanchez, Zachary Schulke, Janice Skweres, David Stegent, Delores 'Dee' Turner, Bibian Wisnoski, Gilbert Zientek.*** **NOTE:** ***Please inform us if you know of someone who is ill and needs prayers.***

Parish Office hours for the coming week:

Monday, November 23: 8 am to 3 pm.



CCE classes

Classes this month: Nov.1,8,15 – no classes on Nov.22, 29.
Classes next month: Dec.6,13 – no classes on Dec.20, 27.



The parish is in need of a person to coordinate fresh flowers on the altar beginning in January 2027.

Responsibilities include scheduling donors, purchasing arranging and placing flowers and removing them when they are spent. This is a weekly commitment but does not include the seasons of Advent, Christmas, Lent and Easter time.

Those interested in learning more can contact Diane Peterson at 210-823-0495.

Please note that the Pastoral Council now meets regularly on the 2nd Tuesday of each month, at 6:30 pm in the Family Life Center.

What does the Altar Society do in our Parish?

We purchase and care for all things needed to celebrate the liturgy, e.g. the bread and wine consecrated at each Mass, the altar linens, vestments and the sacred vessels. We purchase all the candles for the two candlestands in church, and fund the upkeep of the flowerbeds around the church and Rectory. We send get well, thinking of you and sympathy cards, and we remember Father on his Feast Day and at Christmas. We conduct Clerical Endowment Fund enrollments at least once a year that benefit the seminarians of the diocese. This year at our Christmas Party we have asked each lady to bring an unwrapped gift for the Brenham Pregnancy Center.

If you are interested in joining the Society please contact Vicki Degioanni (832-689-6143), President.
We would love to have you as a member!

The Giving Tree will be available beginning next weekend for you to choose a tag with gift items listed. These gifts benefit those families served by the St Teresa of Calcutta ministry at St Mary's in Brenham. Please return your wrapped gift with tag no later than December 13. New and unused items only please.
Questions contact Diane Peterson 210-823-0495



SAINT SISTER FAUSTINA'S VISION OF PURGATORY & HEAVEN. The following passages are taken from the Diary of Saint. Faustina and they refer to her visions of Hell, Purgatory and Heaven.

Purgatory: "...I saw my **Guardian Angel**, who ordered me to follow him. In a moment I was in a misty place full of fire in which there was a great crowd of suffering souls. They were praying fervently, but to **no avail, for themselves**; only we can come to their aid. The flames, which were **burning them**, did not touch me at all. My Guardian Angel did not leave me for an instant. I asked these souls what their greatest suffering was. They answered me in one voice that their **greatest torment was longing for God.** I saw **Our Lady** visiting the souls in Purgatory. The souls call Her "The Star of the Sea". She brings them refreshment. I wanted to talk with them some more, but my Guardian Angel beckoned me to leave. We went out of that **prison of suffering**. [I heard an interior voice which said] 'My **mercy does not want this**, but **justice demands it**. Since that time, I am in closer communion with the suffering souls.'" (Diary, 20)

Heaven: " November 27, 1936. **Today I was in heaven**, in spirit, and I saw its unconceivable beauties and the **happiness that awaits us after death**. I saw how all creatures give ceaseless praise and glory to God. I saw how great is happiness in God, which spreads to all creatures, making them happy; and then all the glory and praise which springs from this happiness returns to its source; and they enter into the depths of God, **contemplating the inner life of God, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit**, whom they will never comprehend or fathom. This source of happiness is unchanging in its essence, but it is always new, gushing forth happiness for all creatures. Now I understand **Saint Paul**, who said, "**Eye has not seen, nor has ear heard, not has it entered into the heart of man what God has prepared for those who love him."** And God has given me to understand that there is but one thing that is of infinite value in His eyes, and that is love of God; love, love and once again, love; and nothing can compare with a single act of pure love of God. Oh, with what inconceivable favors God gifts a soul that loves Him sincerely! Oh, how happy is the soul who already here on earth enjoys His special favors! And of such are the little and humble souls. The sight of this great majesty of God, which I came to understand more profoundly and which is worshipped by the heavenly spirits according to their degree of grace and the hierarchies into which they are divided, did not cause my soul to be stricken with terror or fear; no, no, not at all! **My soul was filled with peace and love, and the more I come to know the greatness of God, the more joyful I become that He is as He is.** And I rejoice immensely in His greatness and am delighted that I am so little because, since I am little, He carries me in His arms and holds me close to His Heart. O my God, how I **pity those people who do not believe in eternal life; how I pray for them that a ray of mercy would envelop them too**, and that God would clasp them to His fatherly bosom... " (Diary 777). In God's Company 2: Saint Maria Faustina, Visions of Hell, Purgatory, and Heaven

Advent Penance Services 2026 in Brenham/La Grange Deanery

Lexington Holy Family Dec. 2nd Wed. at 6:30 -7:30 p.m.	Fayetteville St. John Dec.11 Friday at 6-7:30 pm
Dime Box St. Joseph Dec. 3rd Thur. at 6 - 7:30 p.m.	Somerville St. Ann Dec.14 Monday at 6:30 – 7:30 pm
La Grange Sacred Heart School Dec. 11th Friday at 9 -10:30 a.m.	Chappell Hill St. Stanislaus Dec.16 Wed. 6:30- 7:30 pm
La Grange Sacred Heart Dec. 10th Thur. at 5 -7:30 p.m.	Brenham St. Mary Dec.17 Thursday 6 – 9pm
Giddings St. Margaret Dec. 9th Wed. at 6 – 8 P. M.	Ellinger St. Mary Dec.18 Friday 6 – 8 pm

The Altar Rosary Society will have their annual Christmas Party on Tuesday, Dec.8, 2026 at 12 noon in the Parish Hall. *Each member is invited , as is her spouse or guest. The society will provide Fried Chicken, Tea and Coffee. Each lady is asked to bring a covered dish (vegetable) or dessert and also* ***an unwrapped item for the Pregnancy Center in Brenham*** *(such as diapers, wipes, bottles- anything for the baby). Please RSVP to Virginia Malinowski (979/836-0080) or VirginiaMal@ATT.net by Wednesday, Dec. 2nd if you plan to attend as we must place the chicken order by that date. Please join us for a fun filled luncheon and fellowship to celebrate the Christmas Season!*

SUGGESTION BOX NOW IN BACK OF CHURCH

Do you know something that can make our parish better or that is an issue that needs resolving? If so, the Pastoral Council wants to hear from you! A Suggestion Box is now in the back of the church for your use. Please drop a note with your suggestion or issue and the Council will review them at their monthly meetings. Feedback from the Council will be published in the bulletin.

….NOTICE…. Our parish is currently looking to hire a part-time parish secretary, to begin work in January 2027. If interested in this position, please contact the parish office for information.