

HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH

San Francisco, California

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THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE KING



THIRTY-FOURTH OR LAST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Today's Gospel reading concludes: "Everyone who belongs to the truth listens to my voice." As this text is proclaimed today, let us ask for the strength to listen more attentively to the voice of the Lord in the sacred word. On this last Sunday of Ordinary time, let us remember that our summons to listen to and heed the voice of the Lord is a constant call in our lives—a call that never ends. We must continually do our best to "belong to the truth" and listen to God in all the different ways God speaks to us.

How can you help others "belong to the truth" and listen to God's voice"?

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SCHEDULE OF MASSES

Sunday

7:30 AM, 9:30 AM (Family Mass), 11:30 AM, 5:15 PM (Vietnamese)

Saturday

7:30 AM, 9:00 AM, 3:00 PM (Chinese), 5:00 PM (Vigil)

Weekdays 7:30 AM, 9:00 AM

Holy Days 7:30 AM, 9:00AM, and 7:30 PM

Confessions 15 minutes before 9:30 and 11:30 AM Masses on Sunday & 4:30 - 5:00 PM Saturday or by appointment

Perpetual Help Devotions Friday following the 9:00 AM Mass

Baptisms

Baptisms by appointment

Baptismal Preparation—Fourth Thursday of the month in the Pastoral Center - 7:30 PM

Marriages Contact Pastoral Center 6 months in advance.

Religious Education (for Children)

Kindergarten to 9th Saturday 10 AM—12 Noon

RCIA for youth Monday 5:00-6:30 PM

Youth Program

Junior High - Every Monday, 7:00-8:30pm;

High School - Every Saturday, 1:00-2:30pm

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (R.C.I.A.)

Every Wednesday—Pastoral Center—7:30 PM

Religious Education (for Adults) : Please call Sr. Stella 664-8590

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Wednesday—9:30 AM—7:30 PM

HOLY NAME CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC

Private lessons are offered in piano, voice, guitar and violin.

Registration information is available in our website

(www.HolyName-sf.org) or you may contact Jackie at 664-8590 ext 114.

HOLY NAME PARISH SPORTS PROGRAM:

Mr. Ron Alcaraz, BOYS' ATHLETIC/GYM DIRECTOR

Mr. Vince de Lucca, GIRLS' ATHLETIC DIRECTOR

MAGDALEN OF CANOSSA CONVENT:(Canossian Sisters)

1858 38th Ave. San Francisco, CA 94122 (415) 753-6685

PARISH NURSE PROGRAM

Carol, R.N. (415) 664-8590 ext. 109

FLANAGAN CENTER

(415) 564-2632

“HOLY NAME OF JESUS—WHERE NO ONE IS A STRANGER”

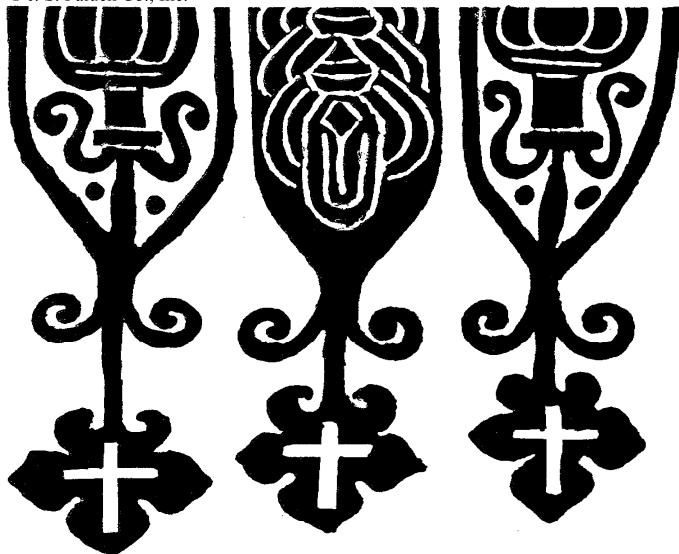
Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead and ruler of the kings of the earth.

November 22, 2009

— Revelation 1:5

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**Whoever hears
my voice
hears the truth**

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — One like a Son of man received dominion, glory, and kingship (Daniel 7:13-14).

Psalm — The Lord is king; he is robed in majesty (Psalm 93).

Second Reading — Jesus Christ is the faithful witness, the firstborn of the dead (Revelation 1:5-8).

Gospel — For this I came into the world, to testify to the truth (John 18:33b-37).

TODAY'S SECOND COLLECTION

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

These days it is not hard to imagine having to choose between rent or health care, food or transportation, household bills or clothing for your children. For many Americans, these choices are forced by a recent layoff, pay freeze, or retirement fund decrease. For 37 million Americans who live below the poverty line, the options are only diminishing. The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD) makes a difference in low-income communities by funding programs that address the root causes of poverty. More than ever, CCHD needs your support in today's Collection.

Thank you for your generosity.

MASS INTENTIONS

WEEK of November 22, 2009

Sun	22	7:30 AM	Mass for the People†
		9:30 AM	Christina Solari †
		11:30 AM	Rose & Mike O'Driscoll†
Mon	23	7:30 AM	Eileen Kiernan†
		9:00 AM	Willem, Roy & Patricia Schunck†
Tue	24	7:30 AM	Luis Macias†
		9:00 AM	Isabelle Burns†
Wed	25	7:30 AM	Eileen Kiernan†
		9:00 AM	Conefrey & Deane Families†
Thu	26	THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY	
		7:30 AM	Mary Martin†
		9:00 AM	James J. Kelly†
Fri	27	7:30 AM	Dan White†
		9:00 AM	The Costello Family
Sat	28	7:30 AM	Souls in Purgatory
		9:00 AM	Tess Murphy†
		5:00 PM	Dinnah Montero†

We pray for the Sick ...that they may experience God's Love and Healing.

Lorenzo Aguirre, Vita Briones, Dalmacio Briones, Jr., Joseph Fiumara, Sonia Coote, Deogracias Cusi, Lily Dee, Jose Dominguez, Lowel Lu, Erick Ongsitco, Mee Yee, Joyce Furman, Marion Kunst, Kevin Lomarde, Evangeline Agbunag, Gene Relampagos, Mario L. Guillermo, Mani Glanz, Lito Coloma, Sampaguita Dizon, Leilani Buccat, Kathleen Carroll, Clara Lee, Bill Frost, Claire Brandin, Mary Leong, Michael Shields, Amy McNally, Linda Edwards,

We Pray for those who have died...that they be granted a home in heaven... Marcelina Capuyan & Ke Shing Chang

THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY SCHEDULE

Thursday, November 26, Thanksgiving Day Masses will be at 7:30 and 9:00 AM in the Church.

There will be a Thanksgiving table for those of you who wish to bring food to be blessed. Please come a few minutes early to drop off your Thanksgiving Dish on the table. Don't forget to pick up your blessed food after Mass. The 9:00 AM Mass will be sponsored by Holy Name School children.

Blessed are those that can give without remembering and receive without forgetting. - unknown

A New Resource for Lifelong Catechesis

Holy Name Parish has an exciting new web resource to continue your spiritual growth. The latest program is known as: "Call to Faith eConnect". We hope you take this opportunity to participate during this Advent Season to strengthen and to grow in your faith. Visit <http://www.calltofaithconnect.com/holyname> or you may go to our Parish website: www.holyname-sf.org - the link to "Call to Faith eConnect" is on our homepage. Lectors may take the opportunity to prepare for all of the Mass readings on "Call to Faith eConnect" as well.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Religious Education Program Classes are every Saturday from 10am to 12 noon. It's not too late to sign up! Registrations are still accepted. Please contact Sr. Stella at 415 664-8590 ext. 111

THE TWO YEAR CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

FOR 7th & 8th GRADERS HAS ALREADY STARTED, BUT YOU CAN STILL CATCH UP FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CALL Sr. Stella at (415) 664-8590 ext. 111

**HOLY NAME Youth Program
Breakfast Fundraising Event**

When: Sunday, December 20, 2009
 Time: after the 7:30am and 9:30am mass
 Location: Flanagan Center
 Menu: Scrambled eggs, butter, ham & sausage, bread, orange juice/coffee/tea
 Cost: \$8.00 per person

Monetary donations in support of the event are welcome. All proceeds will be used to provide activities for our Youth group. You are encouraged to reserve a seat at the event ahead of time.

Please complete the form below and return it to the Parish Office before December 17, 2009; or call Leoul Samson at 415-724-5746.

Thank you in advance for your support to this fundraising event.

Name: _____

I would like to purchase: _____ ticket(s) x \$8.00 = \$_____

Please pay cash or checks made payable to the Holy Name of Jesus Church.

**Save The Date : November 28th-29th
LAY CANOSSIAN'S
FLEA MARKET & FAIR TRADE SALE
FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE
PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM**

After each Mass, in the Flanagan Center the Lay Canossians will have a Flea Market-selling wonderful, like-new quality items at low prices as well as Fair Trade chocolate items-such as chocolate bars, chocolate Advent Calendars, chocolate coins, and Fair trade coffee. Come early and get great gifts at great prices.

Items for the Flea Market can be dropped off at the Flanagan Center on Friday, November 27th from 9:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Parish office closed.

If you are out of town for the Thanksgiving weekend and want to PRE-Order your Fair Trade Items , you can do so by calling Angela Testani at (415) 586-5754.

The prices for the Fair Trade Items-

- (1) 10oz. Ethiopian ground regular coffee=\$12.00/bag
- (2) Chocolate Advent Calendar (limited to 15 calendars only!)= \$8.00
- (3) Chocolate bag (limited to 7 bags)= \$6.00
- (4) Chocolate Bars-1.5oz=\$1.50 each

Thank you for your generous support to our Religious Education Program at Holy Name of Jesus Church.

AAA 2009 Update

The end of the year is approaching and we are still in need of pledges to complete the Archbishop's Annual Appeal for 2009. Our assessment is \$52,000, and with 86% completed, we have \$45,320 pledged and \$39,435 received.

We need \$7,580 to complete the assessment. If we do not reach our assessment, the money will have to come from the Parish account. Will you please consider giving any amount to help us reach our goal by December 31?

Please make checks payable to: Archbishop's Annual Appeal. Forms are available in the Parish Office, or just drop your donation into the collection basket, or Parish Office mailbox at anytime.

Thank you for your continued support of Holy Name Parish.

**NO MOVIE NIGHT ON
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2009
THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY**

FAZnotes

by Fr. Arnold Zamora

At a rehearsal of our priests choir two days before our scheduled Christmas concert, I thought about writing a theme song. Fr. Dan Nascimento and Fr. Meg Magat came forward to help me write the lyrics. With the help of the piano, I hummed a tune to them and they started scribbling some words. I organized our collective thoughts with the melody I made, then a song was born. At the request of some parishioners, to publish the lyrics. I am sharing this with all of you. To hear the song, go to www.youtube.com. There are several links but I think the one uploaded by Musikang Bolanon is a better version.

PRIESTLY HANDS, PRIESTLY VOICE

Hands raised up in prayer

Hands that bless and pardon

Hands that touch to heal the sick

Reached out to all in need

Use these hands O Lord

To gather all your children

To become one body, and become one people

Through these hands anointed for your works.

Voices to proclaim

Words of your salvation

Voice to comfort, to console

A light to every soul

Use this voice O Lord

To bring the power of your Word

Voice to plead for mercy

To give hope to the lowly

With this voice, we sing a hymn of praise

Refrain: Priestly Hands, Priestly Voice

For Your People to rejoice

Priestly Hands, Priestly Voice

These our offering to the world

For You, Lord

With these hands and voice

We acclaim your glory

Through these hands and voice you gave

The lost souls we can save

Use these hands and voice

To consecrate the bread and wine

To become your body and your blood we offer
to your church

That all may live in You! (*Repeat Refrain*)

Priestly hands, Priestly Voice Let God's people now rejoice

Priestly Hands, Priestly Voice God has offered to the world

Let's rejoice!

Notes are usually written words, but they are musical symbols too. They are not only meant to be read, they are also meant to be sung. My FAZnotes are my melodious wishes for harmony in our parish, amidst its cultural diversity, and that everyone will always hear the beautiful sound of the most Holy Name of Jesus.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

Next weekend will be the 5th Sunday of the month. The 5th Sunday has been traditionally a collection in parishes with a St. Vincent De Paul Conference to raise funds for the Conference to assist those in need. We have indeed been blessed here at Holy Name of Jesus parish with the generosity of the parishioners. We want to thank you for your past generosity and ask again for your support in the second collection next weekend. You are remembered in our prayers.

Shown below is a recap of our financial data for the fiscal year from October 1, 2008 to September 30, 2009.

RECEIPTS

5 TH Sunday Collections and Poor Box	\$14,954
Hat Collections	229
Holy Name Students	529
Walk for the Poor	590
Other (soup dinners & car donation)	<u>308</u>
TOTAL RECEIPTS	\$16,610

EXPENDITURES

Those We Serve	
Shelter	\$2,528
Food	1,767
Transportation	217
Furniture, Utilities and Misc.	2,079
Donations to SVDP Programs	
Local	2,700
Philippines, Gaza, Sudan	3,850
Laguna Honda Pastoral Care	200
National SVDP	350
Booklets	38
Transfer to Future Needs Fund	<u>2,481</u>
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$16,610

2009 HOLY NAME PARISH DIRECTORIES

There are still 17 unclaimed Parish Directories in the Parish office. If you had your picture taken, but haven't picked up your Directory, please pick it up between the hours of 9 AM-3 PM Monday-Friday.

Table Grace

O God, you are the giver of every good gift.

Through your goodness we enjoy the fruits of the earth and share the loving gifts of family and friendship.

We ask your blessing on [our guests,] our table and our home. We offer thanks for the love with which this festive meal was prepared, and for the love and joy that bring us together to partake of it.

In gratitude for your continued care for us, make us mindful of the needs of others. May we show our thankfulness in the manner of our living. May our hearts be filled with love and praise. We ask this through Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Holy Days of Obligation and National Holidays Mass Schedule

Holy Days of Obligation

There is no Vigil Mass the night before.

There are three (3) Masses, all in the **Church** - not the chapel:

7:30 a.m.

9:00 a.m.

7:30 p.m.

National Holidays

There is only one (1) Mass on the Holiday in the **Church** - not the chapel:

9:30 a.m.

The only **EXCEPTIONS** to this are:

- **Thanksgiving Day**, there are two (2) Masses in the **Church** - not the chapel (regular weekday schedule):

7:30 a.m. (for early birds).

9:00 a.m.

AND

- **Christmas Eve & Christmas Day** have separate **Special Schedules**.

This schedule applies **ONLY** to Holy Days of Obligation and National Holidays.

Note: The Friday after Thanksgiving or the days after other National Holidays are **NOT** National Holidays. The Holiday schedule applies **ONLY** to the National Holiday itself.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

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

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

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

Thursday: Dn 6:12-28; Lk 21:20-28

Thanksgiving Day—Suggested:

Sir 50:22-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

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

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

Sunday: Jer 33:14-16; Ps 25; 1 Thes 3:12 — 4:2;
Lk 21:25-28, 34-36

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

Sunday: Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

Monday: Thirty-fourth or Last Week in Ordinary Time; St. Clement I; St. Columban;
Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro

Tuesday: St. Andrew Dung-Lac and his companions

Wednesday: St. Catherine of Alexandria

Thursday: Thanksgiving Day

Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary;
Eid al-Adha (Muslim feast of the sacrifice of Ishmael) celebrated this week

HOLY NAME SCHOOL

Dear Holy Name Families,

This is the time of year when parents begin looking at schools for their child to attend in the 2010-2011 school year. We have tours every Wednesday at 8:30, 9:00 and 9:30. I speak with potential new parents for a few minutes and then our friendly and informative 8th grade Ambassadors take parents on a tour of the school. Doors are opened and parents are welcome to meander through halls and rooms to see the work that our students are doing and listen to the sounds of education in action.

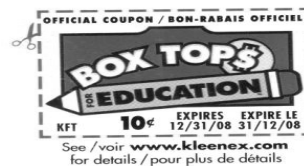
Please invite family members, friends and neighbors to visit Holy Name School so that we can introduce ourselves to them. They can call the school office staff for an appointment. We are proud of the education that our students receive, of the many enrichment classes that are included in the tuition, the afternoon activities/classes that are offered and of the friendly atmosphere that is our community. God bless each of you.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Judy Cosmos

SAVE BOX TOPS FOR EDUCATION

Holy Name School does collect these labels for money for our school. Box Tops can be found on Kleenex tissue boxes, cereal boxes, Ziploc boxes, baking mix boxes, and other food packaging. (See sample) Please put them in an envelope labeled "Box Tops for Education" and return it in your weekly Tuesday envelope. Thank you for supporting our school!



PANTHER NEWS

BOYS SOCCER

Congratulations to our 5th/6th grade soccer team for winning last Saturday's playoff game

GIRLS VOLLEYBALL

Congratulations to volleyball teams 3-1, 5-3, 7-2, 8-4, for making the playoffs. A great job by 4-1 for winning the Championship.