

Our Lord Jesus, Christ the King – November 23, 2008

THE READINGS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30TH THE FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT ARE:

Is. 63: 16b-17

1 Cor. 1:3-9

Mk. 13: 33-37

Please Pray for

Sunday, November 23, 2008

8:00 Rita Samuel
10:00 Henry Sennott
Noon Paul E. Healy
5:30 Romana Ksiezziak

Monday, November 24, 2008

12:15 Marie Elizabeth Crowley
5:30 Timothy McCormick

Tuesday, November 25, 2008

12:15 Anne Regolino
5:30 Jean-Marie BenKa-men

Wednesday, November 26, 2008

12:15 Joseph Barry
5:30 Maria Brestovanska

Thursday, November 27, 2008

10:00 Mass for the People

Friday, November 28, 2008

12:15 Daniel McLaughlin
5:30 Steve Chirash

Saturday, November 29, 2008

9:00 Beatrice & George
Amrhein
4:00 Nora Ahern

ADVENT TAIZE PRAYER



Invest Some Time in Your Prayer Life! – We are preparing another season of Advent Taize Prayer for the four Monday nights in Advent at 7:15 pm in the Upper Church, starting December 1st. Mark your calendars now!

What is Taize Prayer? Taize Prayer is a quiet, simple way of prayer designed for people of all Christian traditions. These meditative candle lit services include simple chants sung repeatedly, rich silence and prayers of praise and intercession.

A Dancer's Christmas

Fr. Bob has decided to bring the curtain down on this beloved Christmas tradition that celebrates the true meaning of Christmas through the ages. We want to honor the years of joy and laughter *A Dancer's Christmas* has brought to so many – and – we want to honor and thank Fr. Bob for expressing his creative spirit and faith through dance.

Hold December 20th, 7:30 PM! Everyone is invited to attend *St. Ignatius Night at A Dancer's Christmas* and enjoy our annual reception après show at 130 Beacon Street. More details to follow in upcoming bulletins. **Order tickets now through the Robsham Theater Arts Center at Boston College - 617 – 552 – 4002. Be sure to tell the Box Office you are part of the St. Ignatius Night Party.**

On Saturday, November 22nd, the BLDE Board invites you to join them for a **Gala Evening at 130 Beacon Street. "FINALE"** will be a lovely evening of "wine-tasting" and welcoming another season of "A Dancer's Christmas." The donation for the evening will be \$150 per couple. If you would like to receive a formal invitation, please call the rectory, 617-552-6102

PERFORMANCES

December 13th -14th and 20-21st

Saturday, December 13th and 20th at 3:00 pm and 7:30 pm

Sunday, December 14th and 21st at 3:00 pm

\$30 Adults – \$20 Seniors/Students - \$15 Children

\$75 Family Special (2 adults, 2 children) - Group rates available

Thanksgiving

There will be one Mass at 10:00 am in the Upper Church
There will be no 12:15 pm or 5:30 pm Mass on this Holiday.



PARISHIONER WELCOMING TEA – SUNDAY, DEC 7, at 4 P.M.

Have you joined the parish in the last year? Have you been a registered parishioner for a while but would like an opportunity to meet and get to know other parishioners? All parishioners are invited to a welcoming tea on Sunday, December 7th at 4 p.m. . **Please note that the tea will be held in the Jesuit Residence at 130 Beacon St, Chestnut Hill.** This will be a wonderful opportunity to get to know some of your fellow parishioners, clergy and parish staff in an informal setting. Light refreshments will be provided, and children are welcome. Please RSVP to the rectory at 617-552-6102 or by email to Ignatius@bc.edu by Monday, December 1st.

JAMAICA HELLO!

Once again this year, we are planning a parish trip to Jamaica to work with our sister parish, St. Anne's. The dates are January 18th – 26th. Parishioners are responsible for their airfare and the cost of food and lodging. If you are interested in finding out more about the trip, there will be an informational meeting on Sunday, December 7th after the 10:00 am Mass.



BOOK DISCUSSION

This Sunday, November 23rd, there will be a discussion of the book, Take This Bread: A Radical Conversion by Sara Miles. We will be meeting at 11:15 am in the Rectory Living Room, 2nd Floor. All are welcome!

COME AWAY FOR THE WEEKEND

This coming winter, St. Ignatius will be offering a women's retreat at the Sacred Hearts Retreat Center in Wareham. Women of all ages are invited to a weekend away from 3pm on Friday, February 20 through lunch on Sunday, February 22, 2009. Unlike the parish retreats, this retreat will not be silent, and will feature opportunities to relax, rest, pray, and talk with other women about life's experiences. The cost of the weekend is \$145 per participant and includes lodging and all meals. To register for this retreat, please email Amy Chapman at chapmaab@bc.edu or call 617.552.6103. A deposit of \$50 is required.

MINISTERIO PARA LA COMUNIDAD LATINA EN SAN IGNACIO DE LOYOLA

MINISTRY FOR THE LATINO COMMUNITY AT ST. IGNATIUS: La Misa en Espanol: Cada Domingo en la Capilla Lannon a las 12:00. Estamos invitando a los miembros de la comunidad Latina a organizar grupos de oración, grupos de compartimientos de la Fe y estudios biblicos inmediatamente despues de la Fé y liturgia.

FAITH FORUM

The Faith Forum discussions continue. They meet on Sundays in the Friary Room downstairs after the 10:00 am Liturgies (i.e. approximately 11:15 am). This is an opportunity to discuss and reflect with fellow parishioners on issues relevant to being a Catholic in today's world. Frequently, the conversation focuses on the readings and homilies from the day's liturgies – at least as a starter. Fr. J. A. Loftus, S.J., usually attends and moderates the discussion, often with the help of Fr. Bob. All are welcome (this includes Family Mass parents as well) and are encouraged to attend at least once.

THIS WEEK'S CALENDAR

Sunday, November 23 rd	Contemporary Music Ensemble – Upper Church	4:30 pm
Tuesday, November 25 th	Faith Formation Commission – Rectory Parish Life Commission – Rectory Library	7:15 pm 7:15 pm
Wed., November 26 th	Young Adult Discussion Group – Rectory 2 nd fl.	7:30 pm
Friday, November 28 th	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Lannon Chapel	12:45 pm
Saturday, November 29 th	Advent Decoration – Upper and Lower Church	9:00 am

OUTREACH MINISTRIES



SHATTUCK HOLIDAY MEAL Our holiday outreach to the Guests at Shattuck Shelter will be on Sunday, December 7th. Materials for food donations and sign-ups for kitchen prep and serving are on the Outreach table.



CHRISTMAS GIFT DRIVE The 800+ ornaments are on the tree for the taking beginning the weekend of November 22nd/23rd.



THANKSGIVING DAY MASS COLLECTION: We'll continue our tradition of earmarking the Thanksgiving Day collection for our sister parish, St. Anne's in Kingston, Jamaica. The donations will be sent right off for the parish's use to help make Christmas brighter for its parishioners. If you will be away on Thanksgiving but would like to make a donation, you may put it in the Sunday collection or drop it off/mail it to the Rectory. Please note St. Anne's on the check memo line.



Take a Break from Holiday Shopping!

Come help decorate the Church for Advent on Saturday, November 29th starting at 9:00 am. Start off the season with a touch of beauty! All ages and experience are welcome to come. Contact Catherine Downing at 617-782-5812

LITURGY LECTURE SERIES

Mark Your Calendars! On Tuesday, December 2nd at 7:15 pm in the Lannon Chapel, Thomas Burke (Tom the Cantor), Doctoral candidate in Systematic Theology at Boston College, will present "The Eucharistic Prayer – Become What You Receive: The Pledge and Promise of the Church's Central Prayer." All are welcome!

FAMILY FAITH FORMATION NEWS



Faith Formation Calendar

November

- 23 Advent Whole Community Catechesis, 8:45 – 11:30
Classes for grades 9-10
Start of the Giving Tree
- 30 Thanksgiving Weekend – No Classes; There will be Family Mass.

ST. COLUMBKILLE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS BAZAAR will be held on Saturday, December 6th from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm at the school, 25 Arlington Street, Brighton. There are many attractions, including: Hand decorated wreaths; Cookie Room; Children's Room; Flea Market/Gift Shop/ Full lunch menu; Class Christmas Baskets; Silent Auction and Raffles, prizes include: Red Sox Tickets and Airline Tickets.

25TH ANNUAL LIGHTING SERVICE OF THE PIETA AT ST. THERESA OF AVILA, WEST ROXBURY will be held on Wednesday, November, 3rd in remembering all dearly loved children of any age, who have died. Bishop John Dooher will gather with parents to honor the lives of our precious children. We will all come together in prayer, song and support as we light a candle in memory of each child. The service begins at 7:00 pm at St. Theresa, 2078 Centre Street, West Roxbury. It will be followed by a reception in the church hall for refreshments and sharing. All are welcome!

For further information or directions, please call Barbara Waters 1-508-384-6663.

YOUNG ADULT GROUP

Join other single and married young adults in their 20s, 30s and 40s as we meet each Wednesday at 7:30 pm, in the rectory for an informal discussion of the previous Sunday's readings or other topics relevant to our faith. Social time such as getting ice cream across the street sometimes follows. We also run a great annual weekend retreat, and members are known to organize periodic social outings for the group as well, e.g., dinners, concerts and swing dancing. Come join us this Wednesday!

ST. JOHN'S SEMINARY SCHOOLS presents its Annual Christmas Festival of Lessons and Carols on Saturday, December 6th at 7:30 pm and a repeat performance on Sunday, December 7th at 3:00 pm. The concerts will take place in the Seminary Chapel, 127 Lake Street, Brighton. The performances are free and all are welcome. For more information, call 617-254-2610.



Happy Thanksgiving

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THE CELEBRATION OF EUCHARIST

SUNDAY UPPER CHURCH 8:00 AM, 10:00 AM, 12:00 NOON, 5:30 PM
LOWER CHURCH (Sept.-June) 10:00 AM, FAMILY LITURGY.
12:00 MISA EN ESPANOL EN LA CAPILLA LANNON

WEEKDAY LOWER CHURCH 12:15 PM - 5:30 PM

SATURDAY LOWER CHURCH 9:00 AM, UPPER CHURCH 4:00 PM (Vigil)

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT - FRIDAY, 12:45 – 5:00 PM

THE SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Adults are baptized at the Easter Vigil as part of the Rites of Christian Initiation for Adults. Infant and child baptisms are by arrangement.

FIRST EUCHARIST

Preparation occurs in Grade 2 and includes classes, retreat and home instruction.

CONFIRMATION

Our Confirmation program begins in the 9th grade. Students are confirmed in the Spring of the 10th grade. Young adults who have been catechized but are not yet confirmed should contact the rectory for an alternative program.

MATRIMONY

Must be registered as a parishioner six months prior to beginning Marriage arrangements.

RECONCILIATION

Saturdays 3:15 - 3:45 PM Upper Church or by arrangement

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