CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH
IGLESIA CATÓLICA DE CRISTO REY

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time
2º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

MISSION STATEMENT

We, the Christian Community of Christ the King Parish, of the Roman Catholic Diocese of San Diego, declare our mission to be that of Jesus - to preach the Word, to evangelize and to witness to the presence and the coming of God's Kingdom of justice, love, and peace in today's world. In carrying our mission, we place special emphasis on Black culture, while at the same time we strive to meet the needs of all members of the worshiping communities at Christ the King. We endeavor to fulfill our mission through a grassroots interpretation of Christ's ministry - to serve, heal, and nourish each other as we grow toward unity of hearts and minds in Lord Jesus. United in the belief and empowered by the Holy Spirit, we reach out to the world in need as we faithfully pursue this mission, aided by our talents and gifts.

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Mass in English

Tuesday:.....9:00 A.M.
Friday:.....9:00 A.M.
Sunday | Gospel Mass:.....8:30 A.M.

Mass in Spanish

Lunes:.....9:00 A.M.
Miércoles:.....9:00 A.M.
Jueves:.....9:00 A.M.
Sábado:.....9:00 A.M.
Domingo:.....11:00 A.M. & 1:00 P.M.

Grupos Parroquiales / Parish Groups

Comunidad CERS | Lunes:.....7:00 P.M.
Centering Prayer | Tuesday:.....5:30 P.M.
Cultura de la Vida | Martes:.....7:00 P.M.
Grupo de Oración | Miércoles:.....7:00 P.M.
Grupo de Matrimonios | Viernes:.....7:00 P.M.

Office Hours/Horario de Oficina

Monday/Lunes:.....3:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
Tuesday/Martes:.....3:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
Wednesday/Miércoles:.....3:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
Thursday/Jueves:.....Closed/Cerrado
Friday/Viernes:.....3:00 P.M. - 7:00 P.M.
Saturday/Sábado:.....10:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.
Sunday/Domingo:.....Closed/Cerrado

Reporting allegations of sexual Misconduct: *The diocese of San Diego treats all allegations of sexual misconduct by clergy or Church personnel seriously and deals with them in a prompt, confidential and thorough manner. To report sexual misconduct by clergy or Church personnel, including abuse, please call Mary Acosta, Victim Assistance Coordinator, (858) 490-8353, email misconduct@sdcatholic.org or visit www.safeinourdiocese.org. Situations of recent or ongoing sexual abuse should be reported to local law enforcement.*

Reportando denuncias de conducta sexual inapropiada: *La diócesis de San Diego trata con seriedad todas las denuncias de conducta sexual inapropiada por parte del clero o del personal de la Iglesia y las trata de manera rápida, confidencial y exhaustiva. Para denunciar conducta sexual inapropiada por parte del clero o del personal de la Iglesia, incluyendo el abuso, llame a Mary Acosta, Coordinadora de Asistencia a Víctimas, (858) 490-8353, envíe un correo electrónico a misconduct@sdcatholic.org, o visite www.safeinourdiocese.org. Las situaciones de abuso sexual reciente o en curso deben informarse a la policía.*

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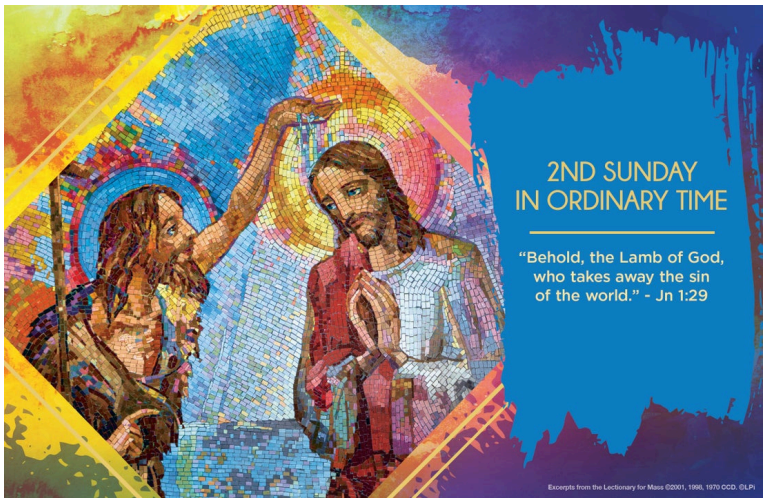

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
JOHN 1:29-34

It's common to hear belief in Jesus and the Church mocked as blind faith and credulity. But in reality, it is deeply human and rational. Think about it: we rely on the testimony of others constantly. I trust chemists who certify the safety of toothpaste and cleaning products. I trust engineers when I use a microwave or drive over a bridge. Why? Because they have studied and seen what I have not, and their testimony proves itself in daily life. That kind of trust is not irrational; it is how human knowledge works.

In today's Gospel, John the Baptist declares: **"Now I have seen and testified that he is the Son of God" (John 1:34)**. That is the language of an eyewitness. It invites us into a very human act: trusting someone who has directly encountered something — or Someone — we have not yet fully seen ourselves.

The Church's faith is built on this kind of reliable sight-based testimony. The Apostles did not make abstract claims. They saw, followed, suffered for, and proclaimed Jesus Christ. Over centuries, their witness — carried in Scripture, in the lives of the saints, and in the sacramental life of the Church — has proven dependable. We come to know its truth by assenting to it, by living and studying it, praying with it, trusting it.

Faith in Christ is not a childish leap into the dark. It is a step into the light of testimony that proves itself over time.

— Father John Muir
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LIVE THE LITURGY

Do we recognize Christ when we see him? Do we have the courage to point him out, to show others who he is? John cried out so the whole world could hear: "He is the Son of God." Always and everywhere, let us do the same.
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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: Is 49:3, 5-6/Ps 40:2 and 4, 7-8, 8-9, 10/1 Cor 1:1-3/Jn 1:29-34

Monday: 1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

Tuesday: 1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

Wednesday: 1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

Thursday: 1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

Friday: 1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

Saturday: 2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

Next Sunday: Is 8:23-9:3/Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14/1 Cor 1:10-13, 17/Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17
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OBSERVANCES FOR THE WEEK

Sunday: 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: Martin Luther King Day

Tuesday: St. Fabian, Pope and Martyr; St. Sebastian, Martyr

Wednesday: St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr

Thursday: Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children

Friday: St. Vincent, Deacon and Martyr; St. Marianne Cope, Virgin

Saturday: St. Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Next Sunday: 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time; Celebrate Catholic Schools Week
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MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. *Day*

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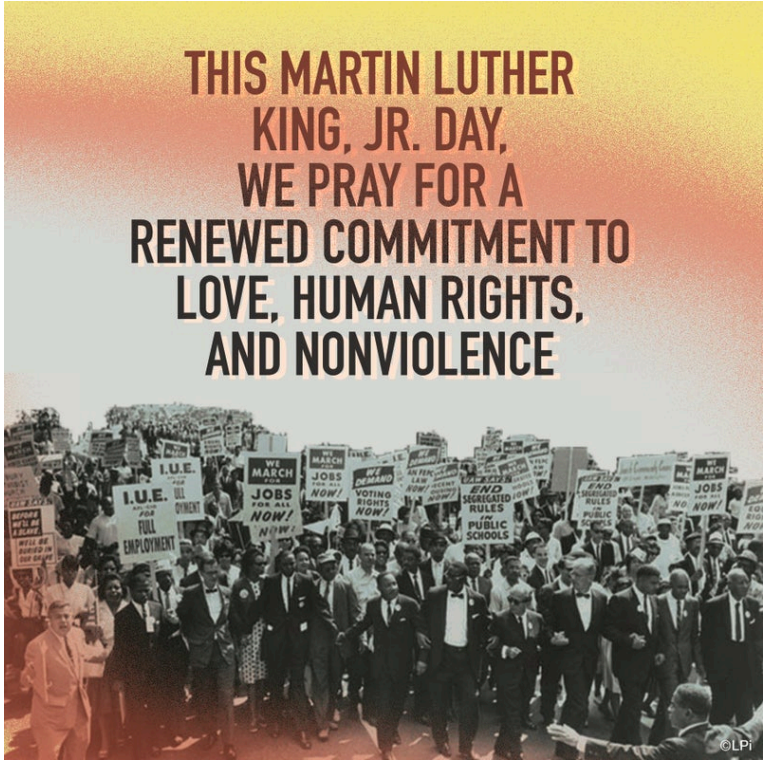

THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON MONDAY, JANUARY 19TH, IN HONOR OF DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. DAY. ALL PARISH ACTIVITIES ARE CANCELLED.

PARISH SICK LIST - PLEASE PRAY FOR...

Susana Cortes	Lino Padua
Roberta Dexter	Marvina Porcher
Abel Dias	Doris Reid
Johnny Diaz	Felix Rendon
Becky Elbrecht	Clinton Ring
Lupe Garcia	Nolan Ring
Bryant Hassell	Brigida Rodriguez
Ruth Hatcher	Frankie Rodriguez
Rhonda Hatcher-Malone	Damian Sanchez
Jacobo Islas	Yolanda Serrano
Kyle Johnson	Rick Stewart
Laura Johnson	Sue Tiu
Betty McGough	Angela Toczek
Martha P. Mendez	Andrea Trybus
Henry Mercado	Guillermina Zuñiga

BLESSING OF THE BELOVED

Dear God,
Bless and anoint us today. You are our Father and guide.
Remind us of our identity in You: loved, called, and equipped for mission.
Bless us as we journey, giving us strength for each day and grace in each step.
Amen.
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DID YOU KNOW?

John the Baptist knows that Jesus brings us baptism with the Holy Spirit. The diocese supports the training of catechists, who last year helped nearly 4,000 youth to receive their confirmation.

Your support of the Annual Catholic Appeal helps our Church continue its mission to evangelize.

JANUARY 11, 2026
WEEKLY GOAL: $6,300.00

Weekly Collection	$4,034.00
Solemnity of Mary	$68.00
Online Giving	$1,184.61
First Offering	$110.00
DESIGNATED DONATIONS	
General Major Renovation Fund	$40.00

SAN DIEGO WALK 4 LIFE

MULTILINGUAL NOVENA FOR LIFE, JANUARY 16-24

All are invited to participate in person or via Zoom in this novena to pray for the legal protection of the unborn and their mothers. Prayed in various languages at parishes throughout the diocese each day, the novena's final day will be at the San Diego Walk for Life on January 24 at 7:45 a.m. at Waterfront Park (1600 Pacific Highway, San Diego).

To check the parish schedule visit https://sdcatholic.org/event/multicultural-novena-for-life-3/ and to access the Zoom link, www.sandiegowalkforlife.org

14TH ANNUAL SAN DIEGO WALK FOR LIFE: "KNOWN, CREATED, AND LOVED IN THE WOMB"

Saturday, January 24, 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. at Waterfront Park, Downtown San Diego

Join Bishop Michael Pham, our Auxiliary Bishops and thousands of people to stand up for the lives of the unborn and their mothers. Bring your loved ones with life-affirming signs and enjoy inspirational speakers, live music, exhibitors, and free raffles. For more information and flyers, visit www.sandiegowalkforlife.org.

NOVENA MULTILINGÜE POR LA VIDA 16 AL 24 DE ENERO

Únete en persona o por Zoom a la Novena para la protección legal de los no nacidos y sus mamás. La novena se rezará en distintos idiomas en varias parroquias y terminará en la Caminata por la Vida el 24 de enero a las 7:45 AM en el parque Waterfront (1600 Pacific Highway, San Diego).

Para más detalles y enlazarte por Zoom, visita https://sdcatholic.org/event/multicultural-novena-for-life-3/ y www.sandiegowalkforlife.org.

14ª CAMINATA POR LA VIDA DE SAN DIEGO: "CONOCIDO, CREADO, AMADO DESDE EL VIENTRE"

24 de enero, 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m., Parque Waterfront, Centro de San Diego

Únete al Obispo Michael Pham, a los obispos auxiliares de San Diego y a miles de feligreses para defender públicamente la vida de los no nacidos y a sus mamás. Invita a tus seres queridos y traigan pancartas que afirman la vida para que disfruten de ponentes inspiracionales, música en vivo, mesas de información y rifas.

Para más información visita www.sandiegowalkforlife.org.

RESTORATIVE JUSTICE WORKSHOP, SATURDAY JAN 31, 9 AM TO NOON: PROBLEM SOLVING, CONFLICT RESOLUTION AND THE RESTORATIVE JUSTICE CIRCLE, WORKING TOWARD ACCEPTANCE AND PEACE IN OUR FAMILIES, OUR NEIGHBORHOODS, AND OUR WORLD.

Come, listen to others, share experiences. Change the world through Restorative Justice. No cost to attend. RSVP's not necessary. All are welcome! Guest Speaker will be Bishop Ramon Bejarano, Auxiliary Bishop of San Diego. Location: Mission San Diego de Alcalá (10818 San Diego Mission Rd, San Diego, 92108), St. Francis Center, California Room.

II DOMINGO DEL TIEMPO ORDINARIO
JUAN 1:29-34

Iniciamos hoy el Tiempo Ordinario. Tendremos cinco domingos en los que los textos del evangelio nos presentarán la imagen de Jesús en su vida pública. Sus milagros, sus curaciones y sus enseñanzas, sin duda, nos invitarán a un cambio radical del corazón. Eso es precisamente lo que se busca: que sigamos el ejemplo de Juan Bautista, el primer testigo de Jesús, quien hoy nos lo presenta como el "Cordero de Dios". Juan deja claro que él no es el Mesías esperado. Quiere que reconozcamos a Jesús como la luz que existía desde siempre: *"Ahí viene el Cordero de Dios, el que quita el pecado del mundo"* (Juan 1:29). Jesús quita el pecado del mundo, pero es necesario trabajar con esfuerzo para que esto se haga realidad: trabajar por la justicia y por la paz, comenzando por uno mismo.

El Papa León XIV, desde su pontificado, nos llama a buscar la justicia y la paz, y nos dice: "Es la hora del amor. Fui elegido sin ningún mérito y, con temor y temblor, vengo a ustedes como un hermano que desea hacerse siervo de la fe y de la alegría, caminando con ustedes por el camino del amor de Dios, que nos quiere a todos unidos en una única familia" (Domingo 18 de mayo de 2025). Animados con esta confianza, seamos testigos de fe y alegría, anunciando al mundo la Buena Noticia del Señor Jesús. Con estos dos ejemplos de vida, Juan Bautista y el Papa León XIV, demos la batalla por alcanzar un mundo donde reinen la paz y la esperanza.

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VIVIR LA LITURGIA

¿Reconocemos a Cristo cuando lo vemos? ¿Tenemos la valentía de señalarlo, de mostrar a los demás quién es? Juan gritó para que todo el mundo pudiera oír: "Él es el Hijo de Dios". Siempre y en todo lugar, hagamos lo mismo.

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LAS LECTURAS DE LA SEMANA

Domingo: Is 49, 3. 5-6/Sal 40, 2 y 4. 7-8. 8-9. 10/1 Co 1, 1-3/Jn 1, 29-34

Lunes: 1 Sm 15, 16-23/Sal 49, 8-9. 16-17. 21 y 23/Mc 2, 18-22

Martes: 1 Sm 16, 1-13/Sal 88, 20. 21-22. 27-28/Mc 2, 23-28

Miércoles: 1 Sm 17, 32-33. 37. 40-51/Sal 143, 1. 2. 9-10/Mc 3, 1-6

Jueves: 1 Sm 18, 6-9; 19, 1-7/Sal 55, 2-3. 9-10. 10-11. 12-13/Mc 3, 7-12

Viernes: 1 Sm 24, 3-21/Sal 56, 2. 3-4. 6 y 11/Mc 3, 13-19

Sábado: 2 Sm 1, 1-4. 11-12. 19. 23-27/Sal 79, 2-3. 5-7/Mc 3, 20-21

Domingo siguiente: Is 8, 23-9, 3/Sal 26, 1. 4. 13-14/1 Co 1, 10-13. 17/Mt 4, 12-23 o 4, 12-17

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LAS CONMEMORACIONES DE LA SEMANA

Domingo: 2º Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario

Lunes: Día de Martin Luther King

Martes: San Fabián, papa y mártir; San Sebastián, mártir

Miércoles: Santa Inés, virgen y mártir

Jueves: Día de Oración por la Protección Legal de los Niños por Nacer

Viernes: San Vicente, diácono y mártir; Santa Mariana Cope, virgen

Sábado: San Francisco de Sales, obispo y doctor de la Iglesia

Domingo siguiente: 3er Domingo del Tiempo Ordinario; Semana de las Escuelas Católicas

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Día de MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.

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LA OFICINA PARROQUIAL ESTARÁ CERRADA EL LUNES, 19 DE ENERO, EN HONOR AL DÍA DEL DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. TODAS LAS ACTIVIDADES PARROQUIALES ESTÁN CANCELADAS.

LISTA DE ENFERMOS DE LA PARROQUIA - POR FAVOR OREMOS POR...

Susana Cortes	Lino Padua
Roberta Dexter	Marvina Porcher
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BENDICIÓN DEL AMADO

Dios mío,
Bendícenos y úngenos hoy. Tú eres nuestro Padre y guía.
Recuérdanos nuestra identidad en Ti:
Amados, llamados y equipados para la misión.
Bendícenos en nuestro camino, dándonos fuerza para cada día y gracia en cada paso.
Amén.
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¿SABÍA USTED?

Juan el Bautista sabía que Jesús nos trae el bautismo con el Espíritu Santo. La diócesis apoya la formación de catequistas, quienes ayudaron a casi 4,000 jóvenes a recibir la confirmación el año pasado.

Su apoyo a la Cooperación Anual Católica ayuda a nuestra Iglesia a continuar su misión de evangelización.

11 DE ENERO DE 2026
META SEMANAL: $6,300.00

Colecta de la Semana	$4,034.00
Solemnidad de María Santísima, Madre de Dios	$68.00
Donación en Línea	$1,184.61
Primer Ofrenda	$110.00

DONACIONES DESIGNADAS

Fondo General de Renovaciones Mayores	$40.00

GROWING WITH THE Gospel

CYCLE A

COLOR

Read the Gospel of the week and color the image.

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GOSPEL

Imagine how excited John the Baptist must have felt after he baptized Jesus. He knew without a doubt that Jesus was God's Son. The very next day John told the crowds that Jesus would take away the sins of the world. God's people had eaten a Passover lamb every year to remember how God saved them from death in Egypt. Jesus was the Lamb of God. He frees you from your old sins and offers you new life with God.

PRAYER

Dear God, thank you for sending Jesus to take away my sins.

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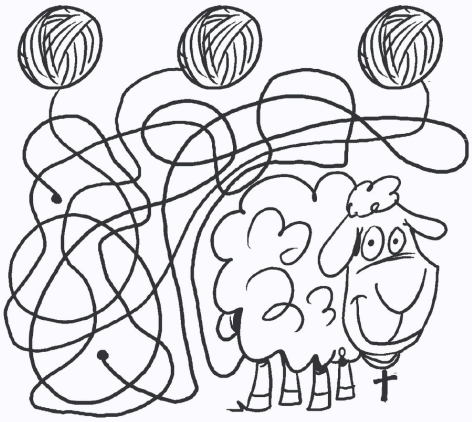
PUZZLE

Which ball of yarn leads to the Lamb of God?



MISSION

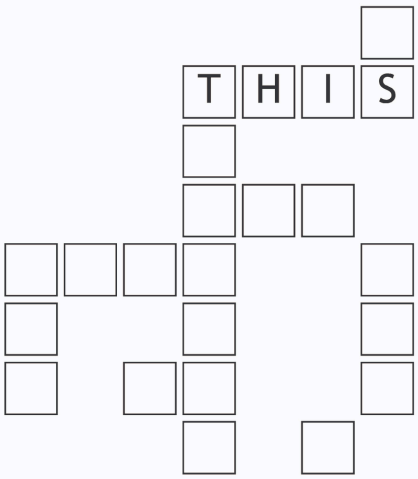
I will ask someone to read the Bible to me every day.

BECAUSE VIBRANT CHURCHES MATTER

PUZZLE

Fit this Gospel message into the empty squares:

I testify that this is the Son of God.



MISSION

Read the story about the very first Passover, when God saved the Hebrews from the Angel of Death (Exodus 12).

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