

CRISTO REY CATHOLIC CHURCH

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OUR MISSION

We are called by God to be a caring and loving parish that promotes unity in Christ within its cultural and especially Hispanic diversity, and is dedicated to education, evangelization and justice, instilling our Catholic faith and values in all.

PARISH OFFICE/OFICINA

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OFFICE HOURS:

Mon. & Fri: 9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Tues-Thurs: 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Closed for lunch:

12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

Sunday: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

MASSES/MISAS

Saturday: 5:00 p.m. English

Sunday: 9:00 a.m. Spanish

12:00 noon Bilingual

Wednesday: 10:15 a.m. Spanish

Tues & Thurs: 6:00 p.m. Spanish

Friday: 12:00 Noon English

(2nd & 4th Friday of the month at the Cristo Rey Community Center)

CONFESSIONS/CONFESIONES

Saturdays 4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m.

Thursdays After 6:00 p.m. Mass & by appointment.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND FAITH FORMATION

PRE K - 8TH GRADES -

YOUTH MINISTRY - Ines Velazquez 517-402-9175

ORDER OF CHRISTIAN - Deacon Carl B. boehlert@egr.msu.edu

INITIATION FOR ADULTS - Yesenia Pilar 517-214-6441

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NUESTRA MISION

Somos llamados por Dios para ser una parroquia de amor y caridad que promueve la unidad en Cristo dentro de sus diversas culturas y especialmente en su diversidad hispana, y está dedicada a la educación, evangelización y justicia, infundiendo nuestra fe y valores católicos a todos.

PASTOR Rev Vincent Richardson

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QUINCEAÑERAS (call 1 year ahead)

Maria Delgado 517-646-6456

MARRIAGE - Contact the pastor 9

months in advance.

SENIORS CITIZEN PROGRAM

Maria Delgado 517-646-6456

MINISTRY TO THE SICK & BEREAVED/Para

una visita a un enfermo: Please call the office at 517-394-4639



MUSIC MINISTRY

5:00 p.m. Saturday Choir - Gordon Satoh

9:00 a.m. Sunday Choir - Arnold Hennig 517-374-9408

12:00 Noon Choir - Corinne Kendall 517-282-6445

HALL RENTAL - Jose Flores 517-204-2182 & 517-394-4639

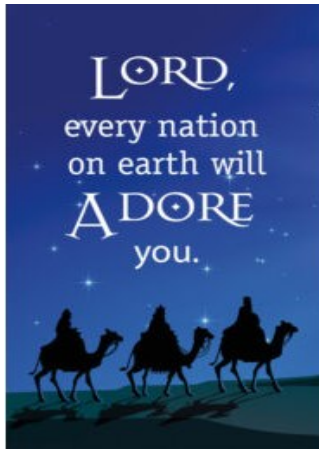
ALTAR SERVERS - Irma Arellano 517-974-3623

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL - Please call 517-575-6328

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS - (SAN JUAN DIEGO COUNCIL)

Rick Centeno - 517-230-3646

FIESTA - Guillermo Lopez (c) 517-974-5113

**MASS INTENTIONS & SCHEDULE FOR NEXT WEEK
WEEK OF JANUARY 6 TO JANUARY 12**


Tuesday 7	
6:00 p.m.	MISA
Wednesday 8	
10:15 a.m.	MISA
11:00 a.m.	Senior's Program in the San Martín Hall/ <i>Programa de los Ciudadanos Mayores en el Salón de San Martín</i>
1:00 p.m.	<i>Práctica del Coro de las 9 a.m. en la Iglesia</i>
6:10 p.m.	Practice of Noon Choir
Thursday 9	
6:00 p.m.	MISA
8:00 p.m.	<i>Alcohólicos Anónimos en S. Juan Diego Room</i>
Friday 10	
12:00 p.m.	MASS at SVCC Cristo Rey Campus (formerly Cristo Rey Community Center)
Saturday 11	
5:00 p.m.	MASS
Sunday 12	
9:00 a.m.	MISA
10:15 a.m.	Religious Education Classes for Children
10:15 a.m.	OCIA Theme: The Sacrament of Penance and Reconciliation
10:15 a.m.	Educación Religiosa para los Adultos Tema: Epifanía. Rosca de Los Reyes en Salón de San Martín
12:00 p.m.	MASS
6:00 p.m.	Youth Ministry Theme: Epiphany of the Lord


NEXT SUNDAY READINGS & LITURGY MINISTERS
THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

Is 42:1-4, 6-7 Acts 10:34-38 LK 3:15-16, 21-22

LITURGY MINISTERS FOR SATURDAY

 Lector Cathy Rendon
E. Minister Gloria Torres

MINISTROS DE LITURGIA PARA EL DOMINGO

 Lector
Eucharistic M. Consuelo Zaragoza
Altar Servers

LITURGY MINISTERS FOR SUNDAY

 Lector English
Lector Spanish
Eucharistic M. Barbara Rodriguez
Altar Servers

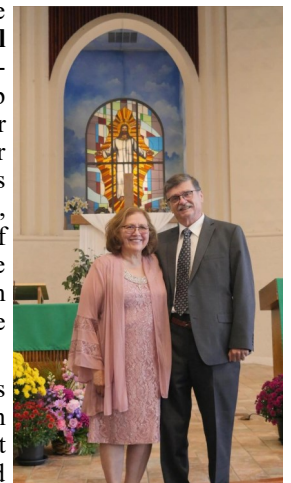
FROM OUR PASTOR / DEL PADRECITO
Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

Happy New Year to everyone and happy Feast of the Epiphany for us as the Church! May this year be full of personal, professional, and spiritual growth for each of us with our intentions and actions. Today we celebrate the Epiphany of the Lord where three wise men traveled hundreds of miles to pay homage to the newborn king. These three magi show us that Jesus came not only as the Lord of the humble and the lowly (like the shepherds) but also the wise and the wealthy from afar. His birth would bring about a new kingdom, which is for all nations and will have no end.

For this Feast, our religious education classes will have a number of Roscas de Reyes (Circular Sweet Cakes) in San Martín Hall to be shared at 11 AM Sunday. At your homes as well it would be good to incorporate something with either the Nativity scene or with your own Rosca. These little traditions can help us put Jesus at the center of our family life with greater intentionality. In the confused and chaotic world in which we live, we can be those wise men and women who still seek out the one who is "the way, the truth, and the life" in Jesus.

Interim Director of Religious Education is Rosa Thill

I am pleased to announce that for the time being we will be having **Rosa Rios Thill** take on the responsibility of Interim Director of Religious Education! As we open up a search for a long-term replacement for this position Rosa will be working with our catechists, preparing classes for the parents of our First Holy Communicants this year, and getting the Lenten Friday's "Stations of the Cross" prepared. I want to share a little about Rosa as she comes to help us with this responsibility over the next five months.



Rosa and Rick Thill have been parishioners for many decades and come to the Noon Mass every week. Rosa was a principal at Averill Elementary School for 11 years and a teacher for 13 years before that in the Lansing School District. She has the experience of teaching and administration, a love for the Catholic faith, and a heart for the wellbeing of your children. I am grateful that Rosa has agreed to dedicate time to take on this responsibility as we search for the right person to take on this full-time position in the year ahead. Please join me in prayer for the right person to fill this role and feel free to email me with any suggestions you may have.

January 18th Liturgy Formation Day

As we enter a new year I want to invite more of our parishioners to get involved in the life and mission of our parish here at Cristo Rey. We are going to have an opportunity to do this in a couple ways this January beginning with a Liturgical Formation Day for those who can help with our Masses.

On **Saturday, January 18th from 10 AM to Noon** all are welcome to Guadalupe Hall for a time of prayer, reflection, and commissioning for new people involved in our weekly Masses. This will be for lectors, Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, and is open to choir members and ushers. Put it one the calendar now and help us in our worship of God in the Mass.

Sincerely from Your Pastor, Fr. Vincent Richardson

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Queridos hermanos y hermanas en Cristo:

¡Feliz Año Nuevo a todos y feliz Fiesta de la Epifanía para nosotros como Iglesia! Que este año esté lleno de crecimiento personal, profesional y espiritual para cada uno de nosotros con nuestras intenciones y acciones. Hoy celebramos la Epifanía del Señor, donde tres reyes magos viajaron cientos de kilómetros para rendir homenaje al rey recién nacido. Estos tres magos que vinieron del oriente nos muestran que Jesús vino no solo como el Señor de los humildes y los pequeños (como los pastores), sino también de los sabios y los ricos. Su nacimiento traería un nuevo reino, que es para todas las naciones y que no tendrá fin.

Para esta Fiesta, nuestras clases de educación religiosa tendrán varias Roscas de Reyes en el Salón San Martín que se compartirán a las 11 a.m. del domingo. En sus casas también sería bueno incorporar algo con el pesebre o con su propia rosca. Estas pequeñas tradiciones pueden ayudarnos a poner a Jesús en el centro de nuestra vida familiar con mayor intencionalidad. En el mundo confuso y caótico en el que vivimos, podemos ser esos hombres y mujeres sabios que todavía buscan a Aquel que es "el camino, la verdad y la vida" en Jesús.



La Directora Interina de Ed. Religiosa es Rosa Thill

¡Me complace anunciar que, por el momento, tendremos a Rosa Ríos Thill asumiendo la responsabilidad de Directora Interina de Educación Religiosa! A medida que abrimos la búsqueda de un reemplazo a largo plazo para este puesto, Rosa trabajará con nuestros catequistas, preparando clases para los padres de nuestros niños de Primera Comunión este año y preparando las "Estaciones del Via Crucis" de los viernes de Cuaresma. Quiero compartir un poco sobre Rosa que viene a ayudarnos con esta responsabilidad durante los próximos cinco meses.

Rosa y Rick Thill han sido feligreses durante muchas décadas y asisten a la misa del mediodía todas las semanas. Rosa fue directora de la Escuela Primaria Averill durante 11 años y maestra durante 13 años antes de eso en el Distrito Escolar de Lansing. Ella tiene la experiencia de la enseñanza y la administración, un amor por la fe católica y un corazón para el bienestar de sus hijos. Estoy agradecido de que Rosa haya aceptado dedicar tiempo a asumir esta responsabilidad mientras buscamos a la persona adecuada para ocupar este puesto de tiempo completo en el próximo año. Por favor, únase a mí en oración por la persona adecuada para desempeñar este papel y no dude en enviarme un correo electrónico con cualquier sugerencia que pueda tener.

18 de enero Jornada de Formación Litúrgica

Al entrar en un nuevo año, quiero invitar a más de nuestros feligreses a involucrarse en la vida y misión de nuestra parroquia aquí en Cristo Rey. Vamos a tener la oportunidad de hacer esto de dos maneras este enero, comenzando con un Día de Formación Litúrgica para aquellos que puedan ayudar con nuestras Misas.



El sábado 18 de enero, desde las 10 a.m. hasta el mediodía, todos son bienvenidos al Salón Guadalupe para un tiempo de oración, reflexión y envío para las nuevas personas involucradas en nuestras Misas semanales. Será para lectores, ministros extraordinarios de la Eucaristía, y está abierto a los miembros del coro y acomodadores. Ponlo en el calendario ahora y ayúdanos en nuestra liturgia a Dios en la Misa.

Atentamente de su pastor, Padre Vincent Richardson

THE WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is celebrated from **January 18 - January 25, 2025**. This week brings together Christian denominations from around the world to pray that Jesus' desire that his followers be one come true (John 17:21-23). This year's theme is "Do you believe this?" (John 11:26). The 1,700th Anniversary of the Nicene Creed is also being celebrated. An Ecumenical Prayer Service, co-officiated by Bishop David Bard of the United Methodist Church of Michigan, Bishop Earl Boyea of the Catholic Diocese of Lansing, and Bishop Craig Satterlee of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of America, Northwest Lower Michigan Synod, **will take place at University United Methodist on Friday, January 17, at 6:30PM**. Fellowship and refreshments will follow. University United Methodist is located at 1120 S. Harrison, East Lansing. For more information, please contact Fr. John Fain, pastor of St. Therese Catholic Church in Lansing, at 517-487-3749. Please come and pray with your fellow Christians!



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Mass 12:00 p.m.

Mary Kay
Maria Agustina

December 8
December 28



MUCHAS GRACIAS

Gracias a Juan y Emma Lopez y a todo el equipo que donaron tan generosamente su tiempo y talentos para hacer posible el Baile de Año Nuevo. Gracias también a todos aquellos que asistieron y ayudaron a hacer de la fiesta una ocasión memorable. ¡Dios los bendiga a todos!

A BIG THANKS

Thank you to Juan and Emma Lopez and the entire team who so generously donated their time and talents to make the New Year's Eve Dance possible. Thank you also to all those who attended and helped make the party a memorable occasion. God bless you all!

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THE SICK

Sparrow: Ruben Martinez Valdes
Home: Linda Davaloz LeVeque, Bernabé García, Juan Lopez, Marta Romero, Gonzalo Cajas, Chris and Melody Marinez, Johnny & Ortencia Martinez, Lupe Arroyo, Zoila Torres, Lisa Cervantes, Carlos Vázquez, Higinio Rivera, Ruty Bonilla, Gloria Anguiano, Rosa Parr, Gaylord Brooks, Hugo Víctor Molina, Doug Power, Carmen Enrique, Pedro Pérez Gutiérrez, Mark García, Roger Massman, Rosa Centeno, Agustín Martínez, Lalo Servantes, Matthew Jordan, Elva Reyes, Willie Castilla, Carrie Guzman, Barbara Rdgz, Eva Rendon, Ryan Ebbinghaus, Cristiano Rios Martinez, Mark Jones, John Castillo, Cordero Medina, Nathaly Garcia, Ignacio Centeno, Rodolfo Castilla, Norma Bermúdez, Alice McCrumb, Emma Martinez, Jess Cadena, Frank Martinez, Kemery Kendall, Rogelio Jose Martinez, Estela Infante Lud, and Randy Medina.



LAST WEEKEND STEWARSHIP

Envelopes/Sobres	\$2,831.00
Loose Cash/Dinero Suelto	\$1,756.81
Electronic Donations/Donaciones Electrónicas	\$1,800.00
Building Fund/Pago de la deuda	\$1,037.00
Total Collection for our Church/Colecta Total	\$7,424.81