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Merry Christmas!



Glory
to the
NEWBORN
King

December 25
25 de Diciembre
2022



O Come, let us adore Him, Jesus the Lord!

On this day of CHRISTMAS we come to adore Jesus with joyful hearts because of Few reasons: the main reason for this season is that Jesus is born in our midst.

He loved us: God loved us first. "I have loved you with an everlasting love. Therefore, showing pity, I have drawn you, Jeremiah 31:3. It has always been our merciful Lord who loved us and who created in His own image and likeness. And Thus, we must be eternally grateful for his love and mercy he brings to us every single day. By being with him through the most effective form of Holy Eucharist on every Weekend. Not just today.

He shared his divine life with us: "For God so loved the world that he gave his only-begotten Son, so that all who believe in him may not perish, but may have eternal life. (John 3;16) God has shared his divine life through Jesus with us. If you believe in him we have eternal life. Remember not Just on Christmas day. Our belief should be everyday and we should be able to celebrate all the sacraments each according to time. If you are coming only on Christmas day, you only get a little bit. But if you come to the Lord every weekend you will see the tremendous Grace of God in your life and in your children's lives. You will find more peace, joy and happiness. So make some good efforts to attend every weekend.

He humbled himself to be human in and with us:

"Though he was in the form of God, did not consider equality with God. Instead, He emptied himself, taking the form of a servant, being made in the likeness of men, and accepting the state of men. He humbled himself, becoming obedient even unto death, even the death of the Cross. (Philippians 2: 6-8). In Jesus we have to learn *humility, obedience, and respect for life*.

The best virtue that I know is humility which I speak very often in my homilies. Let us learn it for good. Obedience to God's commandments and precepts of the church which bring better spiritual life in us. And respect for life is also very important nowadays. We create so many opportunities to serve in humility and obedience and respect. So many of you come to volunteer in our parish. We are here today because of you.

He brought a new era on this earth. "You shall call his name JESUS. For he shall accomplish the salvation of his people from their sins'. (Matthew 1:21) Jesus started the New era. Era of salvation and era of forgiveness of Sins. That is why we come to adore Jesus. Jesus has brought new life and light into this world, that is why we sing today Joy to the world.

It is time to realize ourselves and come out of our comfort zones and selfish motives, and be stable with our faith practices. Our parish church is always here, but are you here every Sunday? Let us be mindful of Jesus who saves us and who gives us new life.

Merry Christmas to you and your families.

Fr. Jay Nuthulapati

¡Venid, adorémosle, Jesús el Señor!



En este día de NAVIDAD venimos a adorar a Jesús con el corazón gozoso por Pocas razones: la razón principal de esta época es que Jesús nace en medio de nosotros.

Él nos amó: Dios nos amó primero. “Te he amado con un amor eterno. Por tanto, por piedad os he atraído, Jeremías 31:3. Siempre ha sido nuestro Señor misericordioso quien nos amó y quien creó a su imagen y semejanza. Y por lo tanto, debemos estar eternamente agradecidos por su amor y misericordia que nos brinda todos los días. Estando con él a través de la forma más eficaz de la Sagrada Eucaristía todos los fines de semana. No solo hoy.

Se humilló a sí mismo para ser humano en y con nosotros: “Aunque era en forma de Dios, no consideró ser igual a Dios. En cambio, se despojó a sí mismo, tomando forma de siervo, haciéndose semejante a los hombres, y aceptando la condición de hombres. Se humilló a sí mismo, haciendo obediente hasta la muerte, y muerte de Cruz. (Filipenses 2: 6-8). En Jesús tenemos que aprender la humildad, la obediencia y el respeto a la vida.

La mejor virtud que conozco es la humildad de la que hablo muy a menudo en mis homilías. Aprendamos para bien. Obediencia a los mandamientos de Dios y preceptos de la iglesia que traen en nosotros una mejor vida espiritual. Y el respeto a la vida también es muy importante hoy en día. Creamos tantas oportunidades para servir con humildad, obediencia y respeto. Muchos de ustedes vienen a ser voluntarios en nuestra parroquia. Estamos aquí hoy gracias a ti.

Él trajo una nueva era a esta tierra. “Llamarás su nombre JESÚS. Porque él llevará a cabo la salvación de su pueblo de sus pecados”. (Mateo 1:21) Jesús comenzó la Nueva era. Era de salvación y de perdón de los pecados. Por eso venimos a adorar a Jesús. Jesús ha traído nueva vida y luz a este mundo, por eso cantamos hoy Alegría al mundo.

Es hora de realizarnos y salir de nuestras zonas de comodidad y motivos egoístas, y ser estables con nuestras prácticas de fe. Nuestra iglesia parroquial siempre está aquí, pero ¿estás aquí todos los domingos? Acordémonos de Jesús que nos salva y nos da vida nueva.

Feliz Navidad para ustedes y sus familias.

P. Jay Nuthulapati

Christmas Flower Offerings In Memory/ Honor of the following:

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Thank you to all donors of Christmas Flowers. We appreciate your generosity and stewardship. God bless your good Hearts.

MASS SCHEDULE/ HORARIOS DE MISA

Saturday/Sabado (Vigil Mass)

5:30 pm English/ Inglés

Sunday/Domingo

8:30 am English/ Inglés

10:30 am Spanish/ Español

Wednesday/Miércoles

8:30 am Bilingual

Friday/ Viernes

8:30 am Bilingual

Mass at 8:30 am and Adoration & Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament follows until 12:00 noon.
Misa las 8:30 am luego sigue Adoración y Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento hasta la 12:00 pm.

CONFESSIONS/ LA CONFESIONES

Saturday/ Sábado: 5:00 pm- 5:30 pm

Sunday/ Domingo: 8:00 am- 8:30 am

Sunday/ Domingo: 10:00 am- 10:30 am

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK INTENCION DE LA MISA PARA LA SEMANA

12/24/2022 Saturday/Sabado

† Rosalie Eisenhammer

† Violeta del Socorro Orellana

12/25/2022 Sunday/Domingo

8:30 am

† Debbie Grah

12/28/2022 Wednesday/Miercoles

† Liza Quissem

† Irene and Patricia Chilla

12/30/2022 Friday/Viernes

* Lucy Chocoleck, well-being/bienestar

Parish Office will be closed on the following dates:

Dec 24, 2022	Christmas Eve
Dec 25, 2022	Christmas Day
Dec 26, 2022	Christmas (Observed)
Dec 31, 2022	New Year's Eve
Jan 1, 2023	New Year's Day
Jan 2, 2023	New Year's Day (Observed)
Jan 16, 2023	Martin Luther King Jr.

OUR STEWARDSHIP/ NUESTRO CORRESPONSABILIDAD

December 11, 2022

Ordinary Collection/ Colecta Ordinario

\$ 1,951.00

Holy Day Collections (Dec 8 and 12)

\$805.00

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Gracias por su continua participación, apoyo y donaciones. ¡Dios nos bendiga a todos!

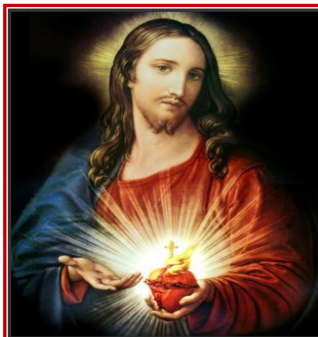
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Gracias por sus generosas contribuciones y sacrificios a CSA. Por cuarto año hemos cumplido nuestro objetivo. ¡Que Dios te colme de muchas bendiciones continuamente!

ANNOUNCEMENTS/ ANUNCIOS

1. Dec 31 (Saturday/Sabado), 5:30 pm, New Year's Eve
2. Mass Jan 1, 2023 (Sunday/Domingo), New Year's Day & Solemnity of the Blessed Virgin Mary .
Mass Schedule/horarios de misa: 8:30 am (English/ Ingles) and 10:30 am (Spanish/ Español)



Sacred Heart of Jesus we trust and adore you. Please Bless all of our families abundantly. We ask you to grant peace and mercy on us. Amen!

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