



# INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2022**  
**FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING**  
For today's Mass Propers, please see the Parish Bulletin

Dear faithful,

King of Kings and Lord of Lords; this is the banner under which we flock to Christ our Lord today. Pope Pius XI reminds that it is not only in metaphorical terms that we speak of Christ the King; He is a king in the strict and proper sense of the word, and His Kingship is the model and source of all earthly kingdoms:

“For it is only as man that he may be said to have received from the Father ‘power and glory and a kingdom,’ since the Word of God, as consubstantial with the Father, has all things in common with him, and therefore has necessarily supreme and absolute dominion over all things created” (*Quas Primas*, December 11, 1925).

How comforting and enlivening it should be for our faith to know that Our Lord holds all things in subjection to His dominion, and that He is all-powerful to grant our requests and bring good from all things, even our mistakes! May this thought motivate us to serve Him with an ever greater confidence, truly in the spirit of being His loyal subjects.

The 12:30 Mass this Sunday will be followed by a **Eucharistic Procession and Benediction** of the Blessed Sacrament. We will recite the **Infant King Novena Prayer** and the **Act of Consecration of the Human Race to the Sacred Heart of Jesus**, in keeping with the tradition. Please find copies available in church. There will not be a reception after the Mass today; it will resume however next Sunday. A **plenary indulgence** will be available, under the usual conditions, on the occasion of this great feast.

We will take up our annual **special collection for the Institute's Seminary** this Sunday. Thank you for your generosity! Your gifts are the means used by Providence to send us priests for tomorrow.

The **month of November** is almost upon us; traditionally consecrated to the **Holy Souls in Purgatory**. I will visit **St. Mary's Cemetery in Oakland** (4529 Howe St.) to pray for the faithful departed on **Tuesday, November 8 at 12 pm**; all are invited to join me who wish to do so. As you know, a **plenary indulgence** may be gained for the **Holy Souls** by praying for them in a **cemetery on any day from November 1 – 8**. The **list of conditions** for the November indulgences is attached in Flocknote, and copies are available in church.

There is the **Feast of All Saints this Tuesday, November 1** and **All Souls' Day on Wednesday, November 2**. Please be sure to check the **special Mass schedule** for these days, as there will be extra Masses. **November 1<sup>st</sup> is a Holy Day of Obligation**.

His Excellency, **Bishop of Oakland Michael Barber** will come to St. Margaret Mary's this coming **Saturday, November 5 at 3 pm** to administer the **Sacrament of Confirmation** to twenty-three of our young faithful. We thank Bishop Barber for generously visiting us and conferring the sacrament. Please keep these confirmands in your prayers, that they would become perfect soldiers of Christ.

There will be a **rehearsal for the Confirmations on Thursday, November 3 at 6 pm** for confirmands, parents and sponsors. Please **make sure to attend this rehearsal** if you will be involved in the Confirmations. **Confessions will be heard afterwards**.

## Happy Feast Day!

A PLENARY INDULGENCE is granted on the Feast of Christ the King in all the churches of the Institute for all its faithful (under the usual conditions).



Though we were unfortunately not able to have our regular **Sursum Corda young adult group** meeting this month, the next meeting will be on **Thursday, November 17 here at St. Margaret Mary's**, beginning with the **Rosary at 6 pm**, followed by a talk, social dinner and the chanted Office of Compline to conclude the evening. We hope to see you there! Please rsvp to Noe Perez: [n\\_perez3@u.pacific.edu](mailto:n_perez3@u.pacific.edu).

A half-day **Men's Retreat is tentatively** being planned for **Wednesday, December 21 from 9:30 am to 1:30 pm**. The location is still being determined. Please contact me if you would like to participate or even help with the organization of this event.

Wishing you a blessed Sunday,  
Canon Norman

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## LITURGICAL CALENDAR & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Date	Time	Mass of the Day	Celebrant	Intention
Sun., 10/30	7:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>Feast of Christ the King</b> Titular Feast Day of the Institute <b>1st Class/ White</b> <i>Exposition and a Eucharistic Procession after the 12:30 Mass</i>	Canon Norman	Perpetua Tito Tayco
	12:30 pm <i>High Mass</i>		Canon Norman	Carmen Raya
Mon., 10/31	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	Votive Mass of Jesus Christ Eternal High Priest <b>4th Class/ White</b>	Father Staal	Edward Francis Geiger† & Elizabeth Geiger
Tue., 11/1	10:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>Feast of All Saints</b> (Holy Day of Obligation) <b>1st Class/ White</b>	Canon Norman	All Saints
	6:00 pm <i>High Mass</i>		Canon Norman	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Wed, 11/2	6:30 am <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>All Souls Day</b> <b>1st Class/ Black</b>	Canon Norman	(Private Intention)
	10:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>		Canon Norman	(Private Intention)
	6:00 pm <i>High Mass</i>		Canon Norman	Holy Souls in Purgatory
Thurs., 11/3	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	Commemoration of the Faithful Departed of ICRSS <b>4th Class/ Black</b>	Canon Norman	Jana Gelo & Dana Stolarikova
Fri., 11/4	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	Votive Mass of the Sacred Heart of Jesus <b>3rd Class/ White</b> <i>First Friday Devotions after Mass</i>	Canon Norman	Fr. Joel
Sat., 11/5	10:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	Votive Mass of the Immaculate Heart <b>3rd Class/ White</b> <i>First Saturday Devotions after Mass</i>	Canon Norman	Sarah Ponitkoff
Sun., 11/6	7:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>22nd Sunday After Pentecost</b> <b>2nd Class/ Green</b>	Canon Norman	Keith Manzini†
	12:30 pm <i>High Mass</i>		Canon Norman	Marquez Family

### SACRAMENTS

**Confessions** are heard 30 minutes before each Mass, and also during the Adoration after the 6 pm Mass each Friday.

Please contact Canon Norman if you are in need of or have questions regarding reception of any of the Sacraments.

### CATECHISM CLASSES

**Weekly catechism classes on Zoom** Please contact Canon Norman or Lisa Caputi ([henshinx@pacbell.net](mailto:henshinx@pacbell.net)) to request the Zoom link.

**Youth Class:** Tuesdays at 4:00pm

**Adult Class:** Saturdays at 2:30pm (canceled next Saturday due to Confirmations)

**Prospective Catholics:** contact Canon for class times

**EMAIL LIST:** email [oakland@institute-christ-king.org](mailto:oakland@institute-christ-king.org)

**FLOCKNOTE:** sign up at [icksपोakland.flocknote.com](https://www.icksपोakland.flocknote.com) or text "ICKSPOakland" to 84576

### UPCOMING EVENTS

October 22-30—Novena of Gratitude

October 30—Feast of Christ the King, Titular Feast of the Institute Eucharistic Procession and Benediction after the 12:30 Mass

November 1—All Saints (10am Low Mass, 6pm High Mass)

November 2—All Souls (6:30am, 10am; 6pm High Mass)

November 3—Confirmations rehearsal (6pm)

November 5—Confirmations (3pm)

November 8—Cemetery visit (12pm, 4529 Howe St., Oakland)

November 17—Sursum Corda \*

\*RSVP for Sursum Corda to Noe Perez [n\\_perez3@u.pacific.edu](mailto:n_perez3@u.pacific.edu)

### SUNDAY SERMONS AND BULLETINS

Audio recordings of the Sunday sermons and digital copies of the Sunday bulletin can be found at the following links, respectively:

<https://institute-christ-king.org/oakland-sermons>

<https://institute-christ-king.org/bulletins-oakland>

*Remember to pray for our sick and our faithful departed.*

*The prayer list will return to this space next week. A longer list is also attached to our weekly Flocknote.*

### ANNUAL SUPPORT OF THE SEMINARY

As is customary on the Feast of Christ the King, there will be a **special collection today, the titular Feast Day of our Institute** for the Institute's seminary in Gricigliano, Italy to help the seminarians and to assist with operating expenses.

Making this sacrifice is especially close to our hearts, as Oakland currently has three seminarian in Gricigliano. You may make also make a **donation online**. Visit our website, <https://bit.ly/3CXErJ5>, or use the QR code. Thank you for your generosity!

