



# INSTITUTE OF CHRIST THE KING SOVEREIGN PRIEST

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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2024**  
**21ST SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**  
(We offer the Mass Propers in the Parish Bulletin)

Dear Faithful,

Dom Prosper Guéranger reminds us, on this Twenty-First Sunday after Pentecost, that this miserable world is always moving closer to its destruction. It is the Offertory of the Mass which brings this to bear most presciently:

“There was a man, whose name was Job, and that man was simple and upright, and fearing God: and Satan asked to tempt him; and power was given him by the Lord over his possessions, and over his flesh: and he destroyed all his substance, and his sons: and he wounded his flesh with a grievous ulcer” (Job 1)

Reduced like Job on the dunghill to the extremity of wretchedness, the world has nothing to trust to but to God’s mercy. The holy men who are still living in it, imitating in the name of all mankind the sentiment of the just man of Idumea, honor God by a patience and resignation. Let us never become so accustomed to this world that its failings and the fleeting nature of time would disrupt the peace of our hearts. We look forward to a better and lasting reward in the life to come. The trials of this life are given to us for our purification, so that in the next life, our joy would be as great as possible.

It’s the second Sunday of the month, and you know what that means – **coffee, donuts and the company of your fellow Mass-goers** after the 7 am Mass. Don’t spin your wheels in search of the perfect breakfast! A friendly circle awaits you in Fr. Kozina Hall.

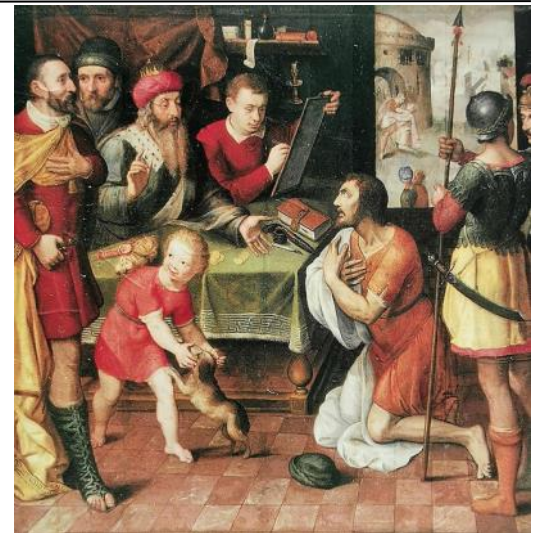
This Thursday, October 17 is the Feast of **St. Margaret Mary Alacoque**, the Patroness of our apostolate and a first class feast. There will be a Low Mass with organ at 12 pm. The External Solemnity of St. Margaret Mary will be celebrated next Sunday, October 20. A **plenary indulgence** is available on both days to those who attend Mass at St. Margaret Mary’s, under the usual conditions.

Our monthly Sursum Corda event for **young adult Catholics** will take place this **Thursday, October 17**. The evening will begin at **6 pm** with the Rosary recited in church, followed by a talk and social dinner. In his talk titled **"Good News about the Evangelists"**, one of the regular members of Sursum Corda will defend the early, Apostolic authorship of the four Gospels. **RSVP** to Omar Jadal-lah-Karraa at: [ojadallah858@gmail.com](mailto:ojadallah858@gmail.com) or (510) 612-7376.

The **monthly training** for the Corps of **Altar Servers** will take place next Saturday, October 19 at 11:30. All servers should remember that during Mass, they serve in the Court of the King of Kings and offer up their voices and movements in union with the marvels of the Heavenly Liturgy. Let all, therefore, prepare their service at the altar as diligently as possible. Afterwards, we will gather for a pizza lunch. Email Canon Norman for more information or to RSVP.

Sunday, October 27 is the **Feast of Christ the King**, a first-class feast and the titular feast of our dear institute. Following the tradition, we will recite the **Act of Consecration** of the Human Race to the Sacred Heart of Jesus following both Masses, and there will be a **Eucharistic Procession** following the 12:30 Mass. The ceremonies at the 12:30 Mass will be **significantly longer** than usual, therefore please plan accordingly.

The Institute of Christ the King takes up the annual **Special Collection for the Institute’s Seminary** every year on the Feast of Christ the King, the last Sunday of October. Thank you for your generosity in helping the Institute form your future priests!



The Unmerciful Servant, Pieter Pourbus, 1570

The Mass schedule for **All Saints’ Day** (November 1) and **All Souls’ Day** (November 2) is as follows: on Friday, November 1, there will be a High Mass at 6 pm, followed by First Friday devotions. On Saturday, November 2, there will be a Low Mass at 6:30 am, again at 10 am and a High Mass at 12 pm.

It’s October, the month of the Holy Rosary. Sign up here for daily **Rosary reminders** and quotes from the saints, including those of Our Lady in Scripture: <https://institute.flocknote.com/rosaryreflects24>

Join Canon Benoit Jayr of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest on a **10-Day Holy Year Pilgrimage to Italy**, from May 6-15, including stops in Rome, Gricigliano (the Institute’s seminary), Siena, and others. During a Holy Year of Jubilee, a **plenary indulgence** may be obtained (in addition to the usual conditions) by passing through the “Holy Door” of one of the four major Roman basilicas, these being St. Peter’s, St. John Lateran, St. Paul’s outside the Walls, and St. Mary Major. For more information and to register: <https://stcharlespilgrimages.com/jayr>.

Wishing you a blessed Sunday,

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## LITURGICAL CALENDAR & ANNOUNCEMENTS

Date	Time	Mass of the Day	Celebrant	Intention
Sun. 10/13	7:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>21st Sunday after Pentecost</b> <i>2nd Class / Green</i>	Canon Norman	Souls in Purgatory
	12:30 pm <i>High Mass</i>			Albert Bocek†
Mon. 10/14	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>St. Callistus I, Pope &amp; Martyr</b> <i>3rd Class / Red</i>	Father Staal	Souls in Purgatory
Tue. 10/15	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>St. Teresa of Avila, Virgin &amp; Doctor</b> <i>3rd Class / White</i>	Canon Norman	Mireya Rodriguez
Wed. 10/16	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>St. Hedwig, Widow</b> <i>3rd Class / White</i>	Canon Norman	Canon Benjamin Norman
Thurs. 10/17	12:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>St. Margaret Mary, Virgin</b> <i>1st Class / White</i>	Canon Norman	Sarah Mills
Fri. 10/18	6:00 pm <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>St. Luke, Evangelist</b> <i>2nd Class / Red</i> <i>Adoration After Mass</i>	Canon Norman	Bryan Castillo & Family
Sat. 10/19	10:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>St. Peter of Alcantara, Confessor</b> <i>3rd Class / White</i> <i>OMPH Devotions after Mass</i>	Canon Norman	Alexandre Silva
Sun. 10/20	7:00 am <i>Low Mass</i>	<b>External Solemnity of St. Margaret Mary</b> <i>2nd Class / White</i>	Canon Norman	Hugh Claver†
	12:30 pm <i>High Mass</i>			Canon Benjamin Norman

### 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 online: Please contact Canon Norman to request the Zoom link.

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

**Adult Class:** Saturdays, at 2:30 pm (**resumes October 19**)

**Prospective Catholics:** contact Canon

**NB: My Catholic Faith is once again available for purchase!**

**Flocknote:** Sign up at [icksopoakland.flocknote.com](https://www.icksopoakland.flocknote.com) or text "ICKSPOakland" to 84576

### PRAYER LISTS \*

#### For the sick:

Thomas Henriksson	Gigi Cunningham	Peter Trong Nguyen
Lianne Claver	Msgr. David Link	Steve Farinano
Marianne Martinez	Angie Gonzalez	Eurydice Buenger
Sylvia Duenas	Catherine Willis	Fil Marquez
Joshua Nascimento	Rick Pawek	Catherine Duenas
Linda Richter	Lillian Jimenez	Diana Henriksson
Noe Perez	Tim Irving	Monica Roberts
LesleeRose Thomas		

#### For the repose of the souls of our beloved departed:

Nancy Duenas	<b>Canon Fragelli</b>	Ernest Jacob
Louisa Siu	Gabriel Fernandez	Camdan McWright
Mme. Guillemette de Guernon	Count Wolfgang von Waldstein	
Bernadette Moreau	Fr. Prokop Jozef Zboron, OCarM	
Thomas Apple	Alan Wong	Carole Jenkins
Fr. Alexander Snyder	Paulann Dymond	Sandra Weaver
Msgr. Luciano Giovanetti		<i>Requiescant in pace.</i>

\***Prayer lists:** If you wish to add a name or revise an entry on the prayer lists, please send an email to [oakland@institute-christ-king.org](mailto:oakland@institute-christ-king.org). A longer list of the Apostolate's faithful departed is attached to the weekly Flocknote. *Thank you!*

### UPCOMING EVENTS AND LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

**October 17**—Feast of St. Margaret Mary, titular feast of this church

**October 17**—Sursum Corda Event, begins 6 pm in church. RSVP to

Omar Jadallah-Karraa at [ojadallah858@gmail.com](mailto:ojadallah858@gmail.com) or (510) 612-7376

**October 19**—Our Mother of Perpetual Help Devotions after 10am Mass

**October 19**—Altar Server Training, begins 11:30 am in church,

followed by a pizza lunch; email Canon for more details or to RSVP

**October 20**— External Solemnity of St. Margaret Mary

**October 27**—Feast of Christ the King, patronal feast of the Institute

### HOLY YEAR PILGRIMAGE TO ITALY, MAY 6-15, 2025

Jubilee Year 2025! Visiting the Eternal City offers a uniquely Catholic experience. This pilgrimage to Italy offers you a deeply personalized experience that carries you back in time on an unforgettable journey that will include Italian culture, history, art, and culinary delights. Join us on this unforgettable experience where you will encounter beauty and forever be reminded of the greatness of Italy. Join Canon Benoit Jayr of the Institute of Christ the King Sovereign Priest on a 10-Day Holy Year Pilgrimage to Italy! <https://stcharlespilgrimages.com/jayr>.

### 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>

### SUPPORT THE RETREAT CENTER – FUNDRAISING DINNER

November 16<sup>th</sup> in Burlington, Wisconsin. All proceeds will go towards the restoration of Sacred Heart Retreat Center. If you cannot make the dinner but would like to donate to cover dinner expenses and help restore the Retreat Center, use the QR code. Thank you!



### SUNDAY RECEPTION

We gather in the church hall every Sunday after the 12:30 Mass for refreshments and fellowship. **Please join us! Everyone is welcome!**