

Christ Our Light Catholic Church

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SUNDAY EUCHARIST

Saturday Vigil: 6:00pm

Sunday: (English) 8:00am

Sunday: (Spanish) 1:00pm

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

First Saturday 9am

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 8:30am

Tuesday 6:00pm (English)

Thursday 6:00pm (Spanish)

ROSARY PRAYED IN COMMON

Tuesday & Thursday: 5:40pm

Wednesday & Friday: 8:10am

Saturday: 5:15pm

Sunday: 7:15am & 12:15pm

RECONCILIATION/CONFESSION

Tuesday, Thursday and

2nd & 4th Saturdays 5:00-5:45pm

and by appointment 936-825-3920

RECONCILIACION/CONFESIONES

Los Martes, jueves y el

segundo y cuarto sábado a las 5:00-5:45pm

y por cita 936-825-3920

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time : January 20, 2019

Christ Our Light Catholic Church • Navasota, Texas

January 19 & 20, 2019

Under the Patronage of St. Patrick and Our Lady of Guadalupe

MASS SCHEDULE & INTENTION

MONDAY, JANUARY 21

No Mass

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22

6:00 PM Children Killed by Abortion

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23

8:30 AM Eduardo J. Pastor Ramirez, Living

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24

No Mass

No Mass

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25

No Mass

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26

6:00 PM Vigil Baldobino and Duran Families

SUNDAY, JANUARY 27

8:00 AM People of the Parish

1:00 PM* Margarita Espinoza †

*SPANISH

THIS WEEK IN OUR PARISH

MONDAY, JANUARY 21

5:00 PM Spanish Legion of Mary, CH Cry room

7:00 PM Adult Confirmation Class, SPH

7:00 PM Marriage Retreat Reunion, CH

TUESDAY, JANUARY 22

5:00 PM to 5:45 PM Confession, CH

6:00 PM RCIC Class, SPCC

6:00 PM Spanish Choir Practice, CH Cry room

7:00 PM Lector Class, CH

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 23

6:00 PM Religious Education Classes, PreK-5th

6:00 PM to 6:45 PM A Parent Class in English and Spanish, CH

7:15 PM Choir Practice, CH

7:30 PM RCIA in English, SPCC

7:30 PM RCIA in Spanish, SPCC

THURSDAY, JANUARY 24

12:00 PM English Legion of Mary, CH Cry room

7:00 PM R. E. Board Meeting, SPH
Spanish Bible Class, CH Cry room
Guitar Lesson, CH

FRIDAY, JANUARY 25

No Events Scheduled

SATURDAY, JANUARY 26

5:00 PM to 5:45 PM Confession, CH

9:00 AM Adult Confirmation Make-up Retreat, SPH

SUNDAY, JANUARY 27

10:15 AM Religious Education Classes, 6-12th

3:30 PM Spanish Baptism Class, CH

E-Mail Addresses for the Parish

To e-mail Fr. Elias...fr.eli@christourlight.org

To e-mail Nelda: nelda@christourlight.org

To e-mail RE Board: reboard@christourlight.org

Christ Our Light web-site: www.christourlight.org

BULLETIN DEADLINE TUESDAY 12:00 NOON

Announcements and or articles are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office, or faxed to 825-7612 or e-mailed nelda@christourlight.org.

Events, meeting etc. for the Parish Calendar are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office in advance.

AFTER MASS WEEKLY PULPIT ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deadline Tuesday, 12:00 Noon. Announcements are to be submitted in writing to the Parish Office. The Pastor reserves the right to pick and choose which announcements are made in this forum as there is a need to keep these to a minimum.

Todos los anuncios deben ser presentados por escrito en la oficina de la parroquia no mas tarde que los martes al mediodía. El Pastor decidirá si las noticias son de importancia para ser pronuncia das.

PARISH REGISTRATION

To our new parishioner, we welcome you to Christ Our Light Parish. Please register at the parish office or ask one of the Hospitality Ministers to help you. For parishioners moving out of the parish or changing your address or phone number, **please** notify the parish office, 825-3920.

Sacrament of Baptism Schedule



English Baptism Class Schedule for 2019:
8:30 AM to 10:30 AM April 13, July 13, and October 12. **PARTICIPANTS MUST REGISTER AT LEAST 1 WEEK PRIOR TO CLASS.** To register please contact Deacon Grant Holt at 936-825-6448 or Lucy Coronilla at 936-419-9296.

Spanish Baptism Class Schedule for 2019: 3:30 PM to 5:30 PM, January 20 and 27, April 21 and 28, July 21 and 28 October 20 and 27. For Information, call Rosa Torres at 936-419-8974

ALL DOCUMENTS AND FORMS must be completed and turned in before Baptism Date. SCHEDULED Baptism will be celebrated once a month at 12 noon every 3rd Saturday following completion of the baptismal classes the prior month. The Sacrament of Baptism is a communal celebration. Therefore, private baptisms are not celebrated here.

II Collections in January and February

January 26 & 27— Bishops' Fund for Latin America

February 9 & 10—Maintenance Fund

Sick Relatives & Friends

PRAY for THE CONTINUING RECOVERY OR COMFORT OF

the infirmed and homebound members of our community. Yvonne Meitzen, Leon Nowak, Leona Pasket, Angelina Peterson, Wallace Peterson, Lucila Rivera, Josh Sechelski, Dana Sowell, Krysten Sowell and Angie McLaurin Till.

Call the parish office when a member of our community has a need to be remembered in prayer, 825-3920.

Also, if you have added a name to the prayer list, please call to let us know when to remove the name from the list. Thank you.



New Memorial Candles

The new Candle Stands are electrical. Anyone wanting to light a candle may do so by pressing the red button and give an offering. The candle will burn for 12 hours. Memorial Candles burning for one year are \$150.00 each. Come by the parish office to schedule and pay your offering of \$150.00 for your Memorial candle.

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Weekly Offering

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TRESASURE YOU HAVE SHARED:

GIFTS FOR GOD — YOUR TITHE RESPONDS

January 12 & 13, 2019

(86) Offertory Envelopes/Loose Checks and On Live Giving	3,573.00
Loose Cash	774.00
Children	79.36
1st Offering for Offertory Envelopes	70.00
Total	4,496.36

Maintenance Fund 1,559.47

DIOCESAN SERICE FUND

Participation	Goal: \$24,940.00
Total Registered Families at Christ Our Light: 657	Pledged: \$21,278.46
Participating Families in DSF: 75	Paid: \$21,247.21

Percent Paid: 85.19%

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT



In Our Prayers

We remember in prayer our friends and loved ones in active military duty, both in and out of harms way, in the service of their our country. Pray for peace in the world and for our leaders.

Jorge Aguilar, Jr.
Antonio Magallon
SSgt Allen Thane

OUR HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR JAN.

General Intention — YOUNG PEOPLE AND THE EXAMPLE OF MARY: That young people, especially in Latin America, follow the example of Mary and respond to the call of the Lord to communicate the joy of the Gospel to the world.



P.E.R.A. (Perpetual Eucharistic Reparative Adoration)

We are inviting and highly encouraging everyone to sign-up for our "P.E.R.A." (Perpetual Eucharistic Reparative Adoration). We are asking everyone to devote ONE HOUR (at least) a WEEK adoring God in the Blessed Sacrament—that is, only asking 168 parishioners to make adoration of God everyday, 24/7! We do this as a Parish Community in response to the teaching of St. John Paul II:

The "Church and the world have a great need for Eucharistic worship. Jesus awaits us in this sacrament of love. Let us not refuse the time to go to meet him in adoration, in contemplation full of faith, and open to make amends for the serious offenses and crimes of the world. Let our adoration never cease."

(Dominicae cenae, 3)

Please call Mary Rangel @ 936-419-9024.

THE CATHOLIC FAITH ON DEMAND Web site is FORMED.ORG

The Parish Code to access the website is MVMZKF

There are 2 easy ways to connect to FLOCKNOTE (pick one):

Then register to create an account.

NOTE: Do not use Mozilla Firefox browser.

1. Visit our church at: www.flocknote.com/christourlightchurch
2. Text SPOLG to 84576 from your phone to subscribe to updates.



**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 20, 2019**

**Nations shall behold your vindication,
and all the kings your glory.**
— *Isaiah 62:2*

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

Every 1st weekend of the month (Saturday Vigil and Sunday Masses) blessing of all who have a birthday or Wedding Anniversary during the month.

PLEASE PRAY FOR VOCATIONS

to the Priesthood and Religious Life especially in our Archdiocese.

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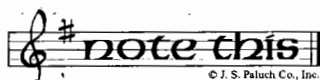
MEMORIALIZING THE SANCTUARY CANDLE



If you are interested in memorializing the Sanctuary candle, in memory of, in personal reverence and petition or special intention for the week, stop by the parish office for more information.

**11 DAY PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLYLAND
TIBERIAS—MOUNT OF BEATITUDES—CANA—
NAZARETH—MOUNT OF OLIVES—
JERSUSALEM—BETHLEHEM - WITH FR. ELI -
APRIL 30—MAY 10, 2019**

A pilgrimage to the Holy Land brings the scriptures to life. It will give new meaning and depth to scripture and your faith. How wonderful it would be for you to make a pilgrimage and walk in the footsteps of Jesus. I invite you to join me on a life changing journey of faith to visit the Holy Land. If you have any questions, please contact me at lopez.eli68@gmial.com



What's A Postlude? — A postlude is music that follows a Mass, wedding, or funeral. The music following Mass is intended to joyfully continue the feelings appropriate to the Mass and will usually be performed on the organ. Here at Christ Our Light, the music will be chosen to “match” the reading and themes of the Mass.

Do I Need to Stay and Listen? — No! The postlude will continue the mood of Mass. It is our hope that every parishioner listen to the postlude as they stay and pray, leave, or greet their neighbors. The only rule is, love God and your neighbor as yourself, and the postlude will be the “soundtrack” as we go forth to love and serve the Lord.

MONTHLY REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASSES

Refreshment will be served after Masses the first Sunday of each month. The refreshments and service will be provided by the following:

- Altar Society—January and July
- Pastoral Council—February and October
- Finance Council—March and September
- R.E. Board—April and August
- Stewardship—May and November
- Choir—June and December

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2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time — “To each individual the manifestation of the Spirit is given for some benefits.” 1 Corinthians 12:7 Tt. Paul tells us that God has blessed each of us for a reason. How has God blessed you? Are you using your gifts according to God’s plan? How are you helping to build God’s kingdom here on earth? Remember that if you don’t do the work God planned for you, no one else can do it. Live the life God has intended for you, feel His love, peace and joy!

Segundo domingo del Tiempo ordinario — “A cada cual se le otorga la manifestación del Espíritu para provecho común,” 1 Corintios 12:7 San Pablo nos dice que Dios nos ha bendecido a cada uno de nosotros por una razón. ¿Cómo t a bendecido Dios? ¿Estás usando tus dones según el plan de Dios? ¿Cómo estás ayudando a construir el reino de Dios aquí en la tierra? Recuerda que si no haces el trabajo que Dios planeó para ti, nadie más puede hacerlo. ¡Vive la vida que Dios ha querido para ti, siente su amor, paz y alegría!

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Mass Intentions for 2019 are available and needed. Stop by the parish office or drop your request in the collection basket with the needed information.

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Parish Offices Closed

Monday, January 21st in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day



Total Pledged to Date: \$101,153.00
% of Parish Goal 48.48%
Number of Participation
(# Families) 34

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PREPARATION FOR RELEASE OF NAMES

January 13, 2019

In a couple of weeks our Archdiocese will be releasing a list of clergies who have been credibly accused of sexual abuse of minors. Please remember that, while the Church is holy, not every member is holy. We have had terrible sinners in our Church from the very beginning, from some popes on down, even to our present day. When truth is told the great majority of clergy, husbands and wives, youth and young children, while sinners, attempt to live and follow Love's laws. We have 425 priests (diocesan and religious orders) and 433 permanent deacons in the Archdiocese. The list to be released goes back to 1950. Since that time, several hundred more priests have served in our diocese at one time or another. (Religious priests move in and out of a diocese rather regularly). Keep in mind that the names of clergy you will see come from 1100 - 1200 priests who have faithfully served in our Archdiocese.

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January 20, 2019

The list of priests credibly accused of sexual misconduct with minors is set to be released by the end of this month. The only acceptable number is "0." Unfortunately, that is not the case. We have sinners in the Church and some of them are clergy. Evil has a special interest in the clergy because he knows that if he brings one of them down, more damage can be inflicted on the Church. Some have given into his temptations and committed very grave sins and should be held accountable. Regrettably, the manner of dealing with these moral failures was not always adequate nor appropriate. The Catholic Church in the United States implemented a very vigorous response to this sad and grievous crisis beginning with the Dallas Charter of 2002 and evidenced by the CARA report published two months ago. We must continue to build on what we have achieved and prayerfully move forward.

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