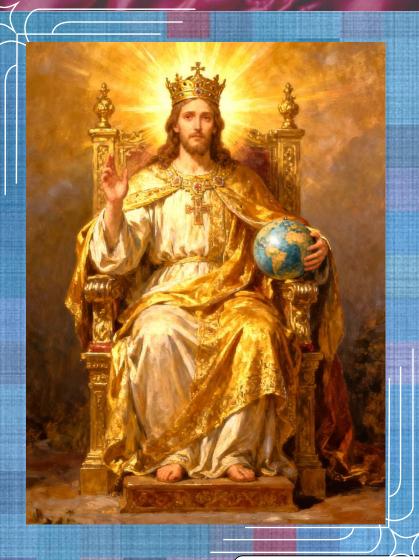


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#### SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE

- → 7:30 AM MALAYALAM QURBANA (SOLEMN)
- 9:30 AM ENGLISH QURBANA
- 11:30 AM MALAYALAM QURBANA

### Readings

Sunday, November 23, 2025 Fourth Sunday of the Dedication of the Church

- 1 Kgs 6:11-19 I will dwell among the children of Israel
- Ezek 43:1-7 The glory of the God of Israel was coming from the east
- Heb 9:16-28 Christ entered heaven to appear in the presence of God on our behalf
- Mt 22:41-46 Christ sits at the right side of God

#### VICAR'S MESSAGE

#### PASTOR'S MESSAGE

#### FEAST OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ.

Next Sunday, November 23<sup>rd</sup>, the Church celebrates the glorious solemnity of **Christ the King**, the final Sunday of the liturgical year. On this day, the Church proclaims that Jesus—crucified, risen, and exalted—is the true Lord of history and the King of all creation. His Kingdom is not built on earthly power but on truth, justice, love, and peace.

From the beginning, God promised a perfect and everlasting Kingdom. To King David, God declared that "your throne shall stand firm forever" (2 Sam 7:16). This promise finds its complete fulfillment in Jesus Christ, the Son of David and Son of God. He came into the world as the humble King of kings—born in a manger, riding on a donkey, crowned with thorns—and He will come again in glory to reign over a renewed and perfect world. His second coming will establish the final victory where every tear will be wiped away and His reign will never end.

As we reflect on this feast, the Church invites us to recognize that **no earthly king, political leader, or world system can ever be perfect**. Human institutions rise and fall, and history shows the limits of every earthly power. Only Christ's Kingdom is eternal, holy, and just. Therefore, our ultimate trust, loyalty, and hope must rest in Jesus alone.

At the same time, our faith calls us to live responsibly in the world. The Church teaches us to respect our spiritual shepherds—the pope, bishops, and priests—because they serve as representatives of Christ the King. Their mission is to guide, teach, and sanctify us so that we may follow Jesus faithfully. Let us support their ministry with prayer and cooperation.

We are also called to **work with civil leaders**, recognizing their role in preserving order and promoting the common good. Scripture urges us to pray for them (1 Tim 2:1–2). But our cooperation must never come at the cost of **compromising our Christian morals and values**. When earthly authorities contradict the Gospel, we must obey God rather than men (Acts 5:29), always witnessing to the truth with courage and charity.

Finally, this feast is a reminder to be spiritually **watchful and alert**. Satan continues to work in the world, seeking to confuse, divide, and lead souls away from Christ and His Church. The evil one often disguises false ideologies, moral confusion, or hostility to faith as if they were harmless or attractive. As disciples of the King, we must guard our hearts, stay rooted in prayer, frequent the sacraments, and remain faithful to the teachings of the Church so that nothing may draw us astray.

Dear friends, as we honor Christ the King, let us renew our allegiance to Him. Let us pray that His reign may be reflected in our families, our parish, and our lives. May His truth guide our minds, His mercy heal our hearts, and His love shape our actions.

May Christ our King bless you and your families with peace and steadfast faith.

In Christ our Lord, Fr. Abraham Mutholath



## **SNAPSHOTS**

## KG TO 4TH GRADE PHOTOS

















## **SNAPSHOTS**

## **MISSION LEAGUE INAUGURATION**















## UPCOMING EVENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Homily on Matthew 12:1-13 by Fr. Abraham Mutholath on November 9, 2025 in Houston.
- Those who have not given Auction and Annual Contribution for 2025, please give ASAP.
- St. Xavior's Koodarayogam will be held next Sunday, 11/23, at 7:00 P.M. at the house of Joy and Shany Kavalackal.
- We will have Teen Zone program next Friday, 11/21, evening with adoration after 7:00 P.M. Qurbana in English.
- We will be using the revised and approved liturgical text for English Qurbana from today onwards. The books are placed on the sides of benches and please use them during Qurbana and leave them at the same place. Also please do not take them home. We are missing many books that I have placed before in the church.
- Next Sunday, 11/23, is the last Sunday of the liturgical year and the feast of Christ the King.
- Parish council will be held on Tuesday, November 26 at 8:00 P.M.
- Dei Verbum Bible quiz preliminary round will be on November 22nd. All students from grade 4 and above are required to participate. The registration information was shared in the class and church WhatsApp groups.
- The Holy Childhood Program, "Colors of Faith," will take place on Saturday, the 22nd, following the 9:30 AM Qurbana. The registration deadline is November 18th. Parents please encourage the children to join these programs.



## WEDDING BANNS

- Chibu Kurian Jose, son of Jose and Jeesamol Panathottathil with Chinnu George d/o George and Tessy Kochorappankal both from this parish to be held on January 3, 2026. (Third Bann)
- Joshua Binny, s/o Binny and Reena Valiaparambil from St. Mary's Knanaya Catholic Church, San Jose with Jeffy Simon D/o Simon and Lincy Nedumcackal from this parish to be held on January 5, 2026. (Second Bann)
- Joel Biju, s/o Biju and Suja Pulikathottiyil from this parish with Santhra Manoj, D/o Manoj and Sneha Elamkulathu from Christ the King Knanaya Catholic Church, Dallas to be held on January 10, 2026. (First Bann)
- Gibin George, S/o George and Biji Poovappadathu with Nimmy Thomas D/o Bijumon and Maria Muthalupidiyil, both from this parish to be held on January 12, 2026. (First Bann)





## ADORATION





## **NOVEMBER 21**

Confession-7:00pm

Holy Qurbana (English) - 7:00 pm

Adoration (English) -8:00 to 8:45 pm

"It is good to give thanks to the Lord, to sing praises to your name, O most high."

#### **IMPORTANT DATES**

#### NOVEMBER 2025

NOV 21 FRI: FEASTS OF THE ENTRANCE OF SAINT

THOMAS THE APOSTLE TO INDIA AND THE

PRESENTATION OF THE VIRGIN MARY

**NOV 23 SUN: FEAST OF CHRIST THE KING** 

NOV 29 SAT: FEAST OF SAINT ANDREW, THE APOSTLE

#### **DECEMBER 2025**

**DEC 3 WED: FEAST OF SAINT FRANCIS XAVIER** 

**DEC 7 SUN: FEAST OF SAINT AMBROSE** 

DEC 8 MON: FEAST OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION OF

**OUR LADY** 

DEC 14 SUN: FEAST OF SAINT JOHN OF THE CROSS

DEC 18 THU: FEAST OF THE MIRACULOUS CROSS AT

**MYLAPORE** 

DEC 25 THU: CHRISTMAS - THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD

DEC 26 FRI: FEAST OF SAINT STEPHEN

DEC 27 SAT: FEAST OF SAINT JOHN, THE APOSTLE

DEC 28 SUN: HOLY CHILDHOOD DAY (THE INFANTS'

DAY)



### **CATECHISM CORNER**

**UPDATES** 

## SAINT OF THE WEEK

SAINT CECILIA:
NOVEMBER 22

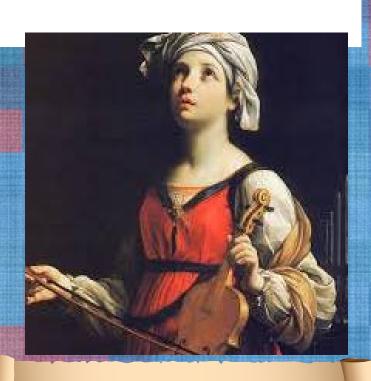
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VERSE OF THE WEEK

#### LEVITICUS 5:5

WHEN A MAN IS GUILTY IN ANY OF THESE, HE SHALL CONFESS THE SIN HE HAS COMMITTED



## **BIBLE PASSAGE**

- 1 KINGS 6:11-19
- EZEKIEL 43:1-7
- HEBRES 9:16-28
- MATHEW 22:41-46

### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

#### **QURBANA SCHEDULE**

**MON - FRI: 9:00 AM (MAL)** 

7:00 PM (MAL)

SATURDAY: 9:30 AM (MAL)

**SUNDAY:** 7:30 **AM (MAL - SOLEMN)** 

9:30 AM (ENG) 11:30 AM (MAL)

**CATECHISM** 

**SUNDAY: 10:30 AM** 

**CONFESSION** 

MON - FRI: 6:00 PM -6:45 PM (ALSO ANYTIME UPON REQUEST)

#### **NOVENA (AFTER QURBANA)**

TUESDAY: ST. ANTONY

THURSDAY: ST. JUDE

FIRST FRIDAY: SACRED HEART

**SATURDAY: B.V. MARY** 

#### **ADORATION**

MON - FRI: 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

**SATURDAY: 8:30 AM-9:30 AM** 

FIRST FRIDAY: 8 PM TO 9 PM (MAL)

THRID FRIDAY: 8 PM TO 9 PM (ENG)

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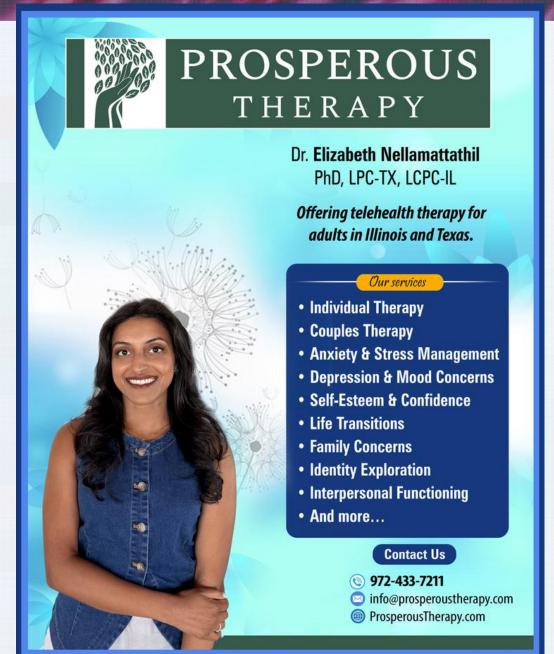
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